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JUNIOR COLLEGE PLAN OPPOSED BY CENTERVILLE C. C.

Opposition to the proposal to establish a county-wide junior college district in Alameda County was voted unanimously Tuesday by the Centerville Chamber of Commerce, which had devoted its two previous meetings to hearing arguments for and against the proposition.

Thirteen members were present at Tuesday's meeting.

The motion, made by George Oakes and seconded by Ralph Goodwin, embodied three reasons for opposition to a junior college district: (1) the increasing need of our local elementary and high school districts for more funds; (2) the ready access from the township to San Jose State College; (3) lack of clarity in the program of proponents of the junior college district.

The case favoring the establishment of such a district was presented to the chamber three weeks ago by Rock LaFleche of the county school superintendent's office.

Last week, O. B. Paulsen of the Hayward high school district argued against the proposition.

Only other township Chamber of Commerce to take a stand on the issue was the Decoto Chamber, which last month voted endorsement of the proposal.

'NEWARK NITE' TICKETS ON SALE

Tickets for Wednesday evening's "Newark Nite" dinner dance and entertainment sponsored by the Newark Chamber of Commerce are on sale this week at Newark stores and through officers of local clubs and organizations cooperating in holding the program.

The dinner, at the Club Alabam in Ashland, will begin at 7:30.

The program, which will be highlighted by music furnished by Frank Gygax and his band, will be under supervision of a chamber appointed entertainment committee, headed by James Robertson, assisted by John Kellerman, Jack MacGregor, Vincent O. Kaehler, Edward Bimemiller, G. B. Cotton, Harry Houston and Frank Gygax.

Newark organizations invited by the chamber to participate in the event include the Newark Sportsmen, Firemen's Association, and Women's Improvement Club.

NILES CHAMBER HEARS JUNIOR COLLEGE CASE

The Niles Chamber of Commerce this week heard Rock LaFleche, of the county school superintendent's office, present arguments favoring the junior college proposal to be voted on Dec, 14.

The presentation was the same as has been made to other township groups, except that LaFleche added counter-arguments to those propounded by O. B. Paulsen of Hayward, who has been campaigning against the proposal.

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THREE INJURED IN IRVINGTON CRASH

An early morning automobile-into-telephone pole smashup near Irvington resulted in minor injuries to three men this week, although none was seriously hurt.

Injured were Robert Lopez, 24, 27511 Niles Road; Joe Cervantes, 21, General Delivery, Alvarado; and Roy Choss, 25, 903 Myrtle street, Oakland.

The trio received cuts and bruises when their car careened into a telephone pole on the Irvington-Warm Springs highway near Irvington early Monday morning. They were removed to Fairmont Hospital for treatment by the Dallas Paul ambulance.

NEW SENIOR SCOUT OUTFIT TO BE ORGANIZED AT MEET

A meeting to organize the first Senior Scout Outfit in Washington Township will be held next Thursday evening, in the Niles Veterans Memorial Building.

Open to all men and boys aged 15 or over, the outfit will be sponsored by the Washington Township Post, American Legion.

The meeting, slated to start at 7:30, is being held as the result of a conference called Wednesday morning at Washington Union High School and attended by interested students, scout field representatives, and Legion Post members. Interest shown in the program was so high steps to organize a unit were taken immediately.

The outfit will participate in a new senior scouting program, set up six months ago.

Although sponsored by the Boy Scouts of America, it has no connection with other branches of the work.

Activities planned include outdoor explorations, vocational studies, social activities, and community service.

Similar units have thus far been formed in Livermore, Hayward, and San Lorenzo.

MAN SERIOUSLY INJURED IN HIT-RUN ACCIDENT

Clarence Cockett, 26, of 1050 Granger Road, Alvarado, was removed to Fairmont Hospital, and later to Highland Hospital in Oakland in "very poor" condition Monday, for treatment of injuries sustained in a week-end hit-run accident in Alvarado.

Cockett suffered a fractured skull, hip, and clavicle, as well as serious chest injuries when he was run down by an unidentified driver at the Southern Pacific tracks and Smith street shortly after 11 p.m. Sunday night.

His body was discovered by Samuel M. Duran, 23, 413 Ninth street, Decoto, who told police he found Cockett lying face down on the tracks while returning home from a movie.

NEWARK PTA HEARS ARGUMENTS FOR JUNIOR COLLEGE

Salient arguments in favor of establishing an Alameda County Junior College District were presented to the Newark Grammar School P.T.A. yesterday by Rock LaFleche, county schools supervisor.

The meeting, presided over by Club President Mrs. William Dutra, convened at 2:30 at the school.

Other business discussed included plans for this year's P.T.A. sponsored Christmas party for children of the school. The party, to be held during the last week of school before uletide vacation, will school before Yuletide vacation, will revive a pre-war P.T.A. custom.

DAVIS INITIATED INTO FRATERNITY

Wayne P. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis of Niles, has been initiated into Eta Mu Pi, national honorary merchandising fraternity at San Jose State College, school authorities revealed this week.

He is a senior business administration major.

IRVINGTON C. OF C. SETS CHRISTMAS PARTY FOR DEC. 23

The third annual Irvington Chamber of Commerce Christmas party for Irvington children tentatively is set for Thursday afternoon, Dec. 23, in the Irvington Theater.

This was revealed Tuesday by Allan Hirsch, chairman for the event, who reported plans thus far call for a full-length moving picture, several colored cartoons, and free bags of popcorn and candy for the children.

Serving with Hirsch on the committee are Gus Robertson, C. E. DeRosa, and A. E. Alameda.

Hirsch predicted attendance at this year's party will run to nearly 500 children. More than 400 attended last year's party, he added.

Funds to purchase candy and use of the movies will be raised by community subscriptions.

In other business, Dr. E. M. Grimmer was appointed chairman of the chamber committee to restore the Irvington park, succeeding Hirsch, who explained he was stepping down because of business duties.

The Chamber also decided to decorate a Christmas tree located in the park.

CENTERVILLE LIONS CLUB TURKEY WHIST SET FOR TONIGHT

Township child welfare work will benefit from proceeds raised tonight at a Turkey Whist sponsored by the Centerville Lions Club.

The party, to be held in the Washington High School gymnasium, will begin at 8:15.

Proceeds will go to the club's charity fund to finance a milk program for grammar school children, and eye examinations and glasses for needy township elementary and senior high school students.

A. E. Alameda is general chairman of the affair.

IRVINGTON P.T.A. CLOTHING DRIVE CLOSES TODAY

Irvington Elementary School students are scheduled to return bags of collected clothing to the school today, as the P.T.A.'s annual clothing drive comes to an end.

Bags for the drive were passed out to pupils Tuesday. Clothing collected will be renovated and sold to raise funds for the unit, for use in pre-school physical examination programs, dental examinations and corrections, and hearing tests and corrections.

Mrs. Madeline Haynes is unit president.

HOLIDAY LIGHTS DECORATE NILES

The Niles business section put on holiday dress Wednesday when street decorations—prettier than ever this year—were hung along First street.

Ten strands of Christmas lights and tinsel, with wreaths hanging in their centers, extend from the Register building to Solon's. They "roof" the street beautifully.

The decoration project is the work of the Niles Chamber of Commerce. Arrangements were made by President John Brahmst and Secretary Vernon Ellsworth, and installation was by the Niles Electric Co.

Merchants of Niles have financed the decorations—costing $500. Individual businesses where electrical connections have been made are contributing the electricity.

WARM SPRINGS FIREMEN'S BALL SET FOR TOMORROW

The three-year-old Warm Springs Fire Department will enter the social field tomorrow night, staging the first annual Warm Springs Firemen's Ball at the Newark Pavilion.

Music for the dance, which will begin at 8 p.m., will be furnished by Frank Gygax and his orchestra.

Tony Vargas, dance committee chairman, will be in charge of the affair, assisted by committee members Joe Wagner, Alfred Smith, Tony Brown, Leland Steinmetz, Melvin Leal, and Raymond Garcia. Also prominent will be Fire Chief John F. Souza Jr. and Assistant Chief Tony Brazil.

Proceeds raised from the dance will be poured back into equipment and department expenses, Souza stated today.

The department serves under the Warm Springs Fire Protection District, an area extending from Mission San Jose to the Alameda County line near Milpitas. Members of the district Board of Directors are Joseph Brown, president, and Joseph Leal, Fred Breitwiser, Orville Leitch and John F. Souza.

Work on the dance has been proceeding for the past two months.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAW MEET SET

The newly formed Young Farmers Association of Washington Township was scheduled to meet last night to adopt a constitution and by-laws presented by group officers.

The report was due to be submitted by Anthony Dutra, president; Arthur Santos, vice-president; Salvador Galvan, secretary; Norman Rose, treasurer; and James Baker, reporter.

High school agricultural teacher Jed Oxborrow is group advisor.

ARGUMENTS FAVORING JUNIOR COLLEGE

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ELECTION ON ISSUE SET FOR DECEMBER 14

With so much argument and counter-argument in the air, The Register, in an effort to clarify issues, this week is presenting the case in favor of establishing a junior college district in Alameda County. The special election on the proposition will be held December 14. We have asked Jack Rees, now superintendent of Hayward elementary schools and former vice-principal of Washington Union High School, to summarize the arguments favoring a "yes" vote on the proposition.—The Editor.

By JACK D. REES

The Junior College is as much a part of the public school system in California as is the elementary school or the high school. The state provides as much financial assistance for the junior college as it does for the other levels and also guarantees any high school graduate the right to enroll in a junior college just as it guarantees an elementary school graduate the right to enroll in a high school.

All of the boys and girls of Alameda County are entitled to public junior college opportunities. The County District will have the responsibility of providing such opportunities at convenient locations for all who may wish to take advantage of them, just as elementary and high school districts provide opportunities on their respective levels.

The absence of Junior College opportunities in Alameda County is undemocratic and discriminatory. A county-wide junior college tuition tax is now used to pay the tuition of Alameda County youngsters attending junior colleges in other counties. The only Alameda County youngsters receiving public junior college opportunities are those of well-to-do parents who can afford to send them to other counties. Youngsters of poor families unable to pay for expensive commuting or boarding away are now denied their public junior college education.

Alameda is one of California's most prosperous counties and can afford to establish a County Junior College System. It cannot afford to continue to deny hundreds or

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CREWS WORK TO INSTALL STREET LIGHTS BY WINTER

Local P. G. & E. Manager Peter D. Juhl this week announced his company's crew will continue work on new street lights throughout Washington Township for the next 30 to 60 days, in a program to complete installation of current orders in time for winter.

Juhl added work is now being conducted on 41 lights in Alvarado, Newark, Centerville and Niles. Scattered installations pending are in Mission San Jose, Irvington and Centerville.

Many of the lights and standards being put up are on back-logged orders, he explained, stating that material and manpower shortages have delayed work considerably. All installations have been authorized by the County Board of Supervisors.

In Alvarado, work on 16 lights, each with 250 candlepower, is well under way, and installation of 18 lights around Newark is nearly completed.

Three lights have been put up in Centerville, at Pine street and Thornton avenue, Joseph street and Mowery avenue, and Mt. Vernon and Santos avenues, while new Niles lights will be located at Second and J streets, First and Hillview, and Second and Hillview.

Work has been completed in Decoto and Canyon Heights, Juhl stated.

BERNARDO SPEAKS TO HOME GROUP

M. J. Bernardo of Centerville, president of the Alameda County Farm Bureau, was the main speaker of the Alameda County Farm Home Department luncheon meeting at the International Kitchen last Wednesday.

The meeting was attended by 85 people, including Mrs. George Hansen of Pleasanton, representative of the 4-H; Mrs. Gladys Boone, assistant home demonstration agent; Mr. Boltson, assistant county agent; and H. C. Underwood, secretary of the Farm Bureau.

The Alvarado-Centerville Farm Center was the hostess center, with Mrs. Harold Faria, chairman of the local center, presiding. The meet represented 14 centers in the county.

Mrs. Adeline Santos of Centerville was program chairman. She arranged an interesting program which comprised vocal numbers by Mrs. George Rogers and Mrs. Carolyn Brown, both of Centerville, accompanied by Mrs. Jessie Murphy of Hayward. Miss Connie Cipiano performed dance numbers, and the program was completed by the showing of slides of the 4-H.

Mrs. Faria gave her report on the convention of the Farm Bureau in Sacramento, which she attended on Nov. 13-18. Mrs. Frieden, hostess at the Kitchen and a past county chairman of the Monterey Home Department, also gave a short talk.

The social part of the meeting closed with an exchange of gifts, in observance of the Yule season.

APRICOT GROWERS TO MEET TONIGHT

All apricot growers in the township, and any other interested persons, are invited to attend a special meeting of the Apricot Growers to be held tonight (Friday) at Santa Clara, at the high school on Washington and Bellomy streets.

The speaker of the evening will be Matt Trigg, of the Berkeley office, who will discuss "the various possibilities available to growers in order to improve their returns on this commodity."

MRS. BEATRICE ENOS NAMED PRESIDENT

Mrs. Beatrice Enos of Irvington has been named president of the S.P.R.S.I. joint activity committee composed of Councils No. 3, No. 31, No. 84, and No. 105. A meeting was held at her home on Monday night to discuss plans for future social affairs. Those who attended were: Mary Dutra of Council 3, Julia Nunes of Council 31, Minnie Garcia of Council 84, and Lucille Day of Council 105.

Telephone Company Seeks Rate Increases; Township Faces 14 Per Cent Boost

Application for an increase in telephone rates, affecting Washington Township and the entire state, was formally made this week to the California Public Utilities Commission, by the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co., according to W. W. Cole, manager.

Notice that the increase would be asked was first made on October 27, Cole added. He cited increased labor and material costs as the reason for the rate raise, stating that present profits are insufficient to attract capital needed to supply facilities to meet public demands for better service.

MORE SERVICE DEMANDED

"The public is demanding more and more service," he stated. "Present earnings are not sufficient to attract the hundreds of millions of dollars of new capital that must be raised from the sale of stock to purchase the plant and equipment needed to meet the telephone demands of the public. In order to raise this capital, earnings must be adequate to attract the investment dollars in competition with other industries."

The rate application was made necessary by the problem of rising costs—both labor and material. Rate increases thus far obtained by Pacific Telephone amount to about 15 per cent on California intrastate operations and have proved inadequate. The new application, if granted, will increase the revenues of the company about 14 per cent.

Cole added, "The increase in the prices of almost everything we must buy in order to render telephone service has spiraled. Inclusive of the rate increase now being applied for, the average price of telephone service will have gone up less than half the 75 per cent rise in the cost of living index."

Pacific Telephone now employs 56,000 people in California or one out of every 74 workers. Its total annual state payroll is now running at the rate of $175,000,000.

Examples of the rate changes proposed for Niles are as follows:

	Present	Proposed
Business		
Individual	$4.50	$5.75
Residence—		
Individual	3.25	3.75
Two-party	2.75	3.25
Four-party	2.25	2.75

Examples of toll rate changes follow:

From Niles to Oakland 20c to 25c
Niles to Hayward.....10c to 10c
Niles to San Francisco, 25c to 30c

SERVICES HELD FOR JAMES F. ROSE

Final rites for James Rose, 78, native of Niles and member of a pioneer Washington Township family, were held Thursday morning from his home on Morrison Road.

The service was conducted at 9 a.m., followed by a requiem high mass at Corpus Christi Church. Interment was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Mr. Rose, who had been ill since last March, was the husband of Mrs. Kate Rose, who died five years ago shortly after they had celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. They had been the second couple to be married in the Corpus Christi Church.

He was the father of Patricia, Gladys, Norman and Chester Rose, and Mrs. Susan Murphy of Niles, and Mrs. Hester Daly of San Francisco and the late Fred Rose.

He was a member of Centerville Lodge, Woodmen of the World.

One of the prized legacies to be inherited by his children is a deed to about 89 acres of land near Mission San Jose, one of the earliest such documents ever recorded at the Oakland Court House. Dated November 19, 1867, it bears the personal signature of President Johnson.

His father, Frank, had settled in Washington Township after coming around the horn from Portugal.

TRANSIENT TO ANSWER WEAPONS CHARGE TOMORROW

Ignacio Miranda, 40, Stockton transient, is scheduled to appear before Centerville Justice of the Peace Allen G. Norris tomorrow to answer charges of carrying a concealed weapon.

Last Friday Miranda was given one week to obtain counsel and enter plea to the charge. Bail was set at $200.

He was nabbed by sheriff's deputies at Mission Road and Niles-Mission San Jose Highway November 21, carrying two game cocks, a dirk, brass knuckles, and a .32 revolver and ammunition. He had been stopped at a sheriff's roadblock set up to apprehend two Santa Rita Prison Farm escapees.

Miranda admitted to deputies he was taking the fowl to Santa Cruz to train them there for a fight near Fresno.

NILES MAN TREATED FOR MISHAP HURTS

Robert Contera, 30, General Delivery, Niles, was treated at Fairmont Alameda County Hospital Monday morning for serious injuries sustained in a week-end auto accident on Driscoll Road in Irvington.

Contera suffered bad facial lacerations, and neck injuries in a collision late Sunday night when he lost control of his automobile and crashed head-on into a telephone pole.

A passenger in the car, Mary R. Martinez, 29, of 725 Third street, Niles, was also taken to Fairmont Hospital for treatment of less serious injuries.

Both were released from the hospital Monday morning.

CHORAL GROUP AT COUNTRY CLUB MEET

A small mixed choral group from San Jose State College will headline the program of the regular meeting next Tuesday of the Country Club of Washington Township.

This is the regular Christmas meeting, with the Home Arts section taking over the serving of the Christmas tea.

ALVARADO SCENE OF WHIST PARTY

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Paul Edward Rivers Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars No. 7906, Alvarado, will hold a whist party on Sunday, Dec. 5, at 2 p.m., at the Eagles Hall.

MRS. WARD TO TALK AT NILES P.T.A. MEET

Mrs. Ethel Saxon Ward of the county office will give a talk on school curriculum at the regular meeting of the Niles P.T.A. next Tuesday afternoon, according to Mrs. Ruel Brown, president of the unit.

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MISSION SAN JOSE NEWS

By LOIS BOTTENBERG

Lois Bottenberg

UNTIL SPRING

Mrs. Margaret Moore McClure has taken up residence in the former abode of Miss Eda Beronio on the Gallegos Estate. Winter months on the Peak at the ranch are just not quite as tranquil as summer so she will remain in town until spring comes again.

RECUPERATING

Reverend Father Lawrence, who has been at St. Mary of the Palms for a long time, has been on the sick list and so was sent to Benecia to the Dominican Fathers where he can rest and recuperate. Here's hoping we are able to see him back shortly and especially to greet him at Christmas time. His trained dog "Flop" is being cared for by Miss Louise Correia.

NEW CAR

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Escobar and family are sporting a brand new Buick car. He is a farmer in town and had his name in for one for a long time, so now no more bumpy rides in the old pickup.

Y.M.I. MEET

On Wednesday evening, the Y.M.I. of Mission San Jose held their regular monthly meeting at the I.D.E.S. Hall with refreshments served and at which meeting they initiated into their ranks 17 more members. This organization is really growing by leaps and bounds.

TO THE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Mary Rogers, mother of Larry and Frank Rogers, was taken to a San Jose hospital Wednesday by her husband, Lawrence, where she will undergo a major operation in a few days.

HOLIDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dutra and Arnold and Wayne, of Lincoln, spent the Thanksgiving holiday here at the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Phillips, and with his mother, Mrs. Maude Dutra, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mendonsa and families. They went home on Sunday evening. They were former Mission residents.

IN OKINAWA

Friends of Clarence Souza, a former Mission boy, will be surprised and happy to learn that he is now stationed in Okinawa with the U. S. Army. He writes that he likes it fine and surely enjoys seeing the world at Uncle Sam's expense.

IN THE CITY

Mrs. Margaret McClure motored to San Francisco over the Thanksgiving holiday to the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart McClure and family where they all spent the dinner hour with Mr. McClure's in-laws. On Saturday Mrs. McClure returned to the Mission. Mr. Arthur Moore of Piedmont accompanied her.

FUN AND FOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Vierra and family all went to Hanford over the week-end where they spent the time between grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vierra and maternal ones, the Baptistas. They returned late Sunday evening, reporting a lot of fun and GOOD eats.

ENCASED IN CAST

Friends of Mrs. Havanna McNemar were shocked to learn that she had been taken suddenly last Friday week to the hospital where she was encased in a cast all along her spine. She had been helping Mr. Mac when a limb from the tree they were cutting broke and hit her in the middle of the back. She is home and able to be around a bit in spite of the weight she has to carry around.

OPEN FOR BUSINESS

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tommerdahl, who own and operate "Ben's Chicken Shack" in the new addition of town south of the school house, have opened for business and their first day, Thanksgiving, was a real sellout. Mrs. Tommerdahl, who is a real "southern fried chicken" cook, said Sunday was a very busy day. They close during the early part of the day and keep open until the wee small hours of the morning to accommodate the truck drivers.

HOW COME?

Friends of Sally Souza are very glad to welcome her back home from the hospital and she is recuperating at the family home on Bryant street. Oh! Yes! By the way, that reminds me that I, too, was a bit furious when folks who had gone to visit her at this hospital were told to run up the hall a bit and peek in a certain room where (now this is not a fish story, but an honest to goodness doggie story), lo and behold, a real live dog was allowed to sleep and eat in bed with his mistress who, no doubt, was wealthy enough to buy her way around. What is wrong with the doctors, nurses, the hospital staff and also the health authorities, to allow such goings on in a public institution?

WEDDING BELLS

The tenth anniversary for Jack and Teddy Pereira has come and gone this past Friday. Also on that day her nephew, William J. Prentice, football coach at Bellarmine in San Jose, took for his bride Miss Rosemarie Amaral, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Amaral, of that city. They were married at Sacred Heart Church at high noon, and Mrs. Pereira attended where she met her brother, Mr. Elton Prentice of Samoa, father of the benedict.

TOWNSHIP MEN'S CLUB 'CHRISTMAS JINX' PLANS SET

Dinner and an old fashioned vaudeville program will highlight this year's Washington Township Men's Club Christmas Jinx party, to be held in the Niles Veterans Memorial Building, December 16.

Jack MacGregor is helping make arrangements.

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NEWARK CHAMBER CHRISTMAS GROUP SLATES MEETING

The Newark Chamber of Commerce Christmas committee will meet next Wednesday night at the home of Harry Houston to discuss further plans for the coming holiday season.

The Chamber will sponsor house-to-house visits by Santa Claus Christmas eve, and in addition will hold a home outdoor Christmas light display contest and store window display competition.

READERS WRITE US

The Editor, Sir:

Your article entitled "W.U.H.S. Alumnus to the Rose Bowl," was certainly a very fine tribute paid to one of the better athletes of our township. I enjoyed every word of justifiable praise which you heaped on Henry Borghi for his wonderful record as a student and athlete at the University of California.

You should have ended your article without adding the last paragraph, which stated, "—he will be the first township boy to hit the headlines nationally in the game of football."

If you should look into the records of W.U.H.S. alumni I am sure that you will find quite a few other citizens of our township who have attained fame in the game of football.

First, there was Aubrey Laws, who graduated from W.U.H.S. in 1925, and played four years of varsity football, and was captain of the team his senior year, for the San Jose State Spartans.

Secondly, Frank Maderas, who graduated from W.U.H.S. in 1936, matriculating at St. Mary's College, played varsity football on the team that played, and won, in the Cotton Bowl Game in Texas.

And, being that you mentioned "national recognition," I could not help but think of a boy who graduated from W.U.H.S. in 1924 who also enrolled at St. Mary's College. He not only played on the varsity for four years, but played such a high caliber brand of football, that in 1927 he was picked on practically every "All-American" team in the land as one of the greatest centers of all time. I speak of none other than the great Lawrence "Larry" Bettencourt.

I am sure that there are others who rate recognition along with these few that I have mentioned. Therefore, Henry Borghi will not be the first, but ANOTHER GREAT township boy to hit the headlines nationally in the game of football.

RUEL L. BROWN

GOINGS-ON IN NEWARK

By BETTE COTTER

THANKSGIVING DINNERS

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Vargas spent an enjoyable Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Freza of Castro Valley.

Bette Cotter

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Silva and daughter, the Thanksgiving dinner was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Joaquin Caldeira, Bernice and Frank; Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Caldeira and Diane; Mr. Maurice Caldeira, Miss Isabel Faria, Mrs. Mary Caldeira, Miss Dorothy Jackson, Mr. Bill Caldeira and Mr. Joaquin Caldeira Jr. After dinner the guests enjoyer movies of the Azores shown by Mrs. Lionel Goularte and Tony Goularte.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fields and son entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Freitas and daughter of Half Moon Bay on Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. David Rice, Shelby and Creig, and Miss Bette Cotter were Thanksgiving dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Rice and son, John.

Mr. George Kommes and daughter, Rosemarie, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Marshall of Magnolia street.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kraft and son, Terry, were hosts to Miss Mamie Freitas on Thanksgiving day.

ARRIVES HOME

Mr. Ernest Marshall, who has been in the army and in Europe for two years, is home for good. While in the army he was a Staff Sergeant. He plans to settle back into the old life in Newark.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Mamie Springer left for the hospital Thursday where she will undergo an operation.

BACK TO SCHOOL

Little Miss Jill Kettman has now completely recovered from a siege of tonsilitis and returned to school on Monday, after a week's confinement home in bed.

AT THE GAME

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Caldeira, Lionel and Tony Goularte, and Mr. Clifford Rogers attended the football game at San Jose on Friday night. San Jose played St. Mary's.

CLAMMING

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Tom Furtado and Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Caldeira and Diane, Tony and Barbara Goularte went clamming at Watsonville.

FROM LOS ANGELES

Joe Raymond of Los Angeles, a former Newarkite, is spending two weeks here with his sister, Mrs. T. A. Silva of Thornton avenue.

MOVE TO NILES

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Mello and daughter, Janie, are making their home at the Brahmst apartments in Niles.

PROUD PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Walstra welcomed their little daughter, Laura Denice, Sunday at the San Jose Hospital. Little Laura weighed six pounds. Mrs. Walstra is the former Nelda Gaunt.

BROTHERS' REUNION

Mr. Bud Marshall, a former Newarkite, and family, and Mr. George Marshall and his family, and Ernist Marshall had a wonderful time talking over old times at a dinner given in honor of Ernie's return, at the George Marshall residence.

STUDENTS REVIEW WORK FOR P.T.A.

Sixth grade students taught by Miss Charlotte Sandorf at the Irvington Elementary School presented a review of semester work on Mexico to the Irvington P.T.A. last night.

Students explained their work, gave examples of projects undertaken, and conducted Mexican songs and dances to highlight the meeting, held at 8 p.m. at the school.

Announcer for the program was Wylie Blacow, class president. Mrs. Sydney Leathers, room mother, was in charge of refreshments for the meeting.

The club discussed plans for this year's P.T.A.-sponsored Christmas program for the students. Mrs. Madeline Haynes is unit president.

Register ads are read in 1630 township families.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—NILES

A branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts. Regular services are held as follows:

SUNDAY SCHOOL 10 A.M.
MORNING SERVICE 11 A.M.

Wednesday Evening Testimony Meetings, 8 o'clock. Reading Room is open Tuesday and Saturday afternoons, 1 to 3, and Thursday evenings, 7 to 9. Church edifice is at Second and E Streets.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of JULIA C. ROSE, also known as JULIA ROSE, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: November 25, 1948.

FRANK T. ROSE, JR.
Administrator of the Estate of the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney for said Administrator
Ellsworth Building
Niles, California D3,10,17,24

CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERS DOING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned are co-partners transacting business in the County of Alameda, State of California, having our principal place of business at 2181 Thornton Avenue, Newark, California, under the fictitious firm name and style of "NEWARK HARDWARE & APPLIANCE"; that we are the only persons having any interest in said business, and that the places of our residence are hereinafter set forth following our respective signatures hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 22nd day of November, 1948.

LOUIS CALDEIRA
Residing at Newark, California.
NORMAN P. LUNA
Residing at Decoto, California.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

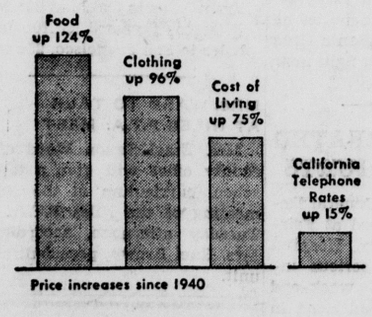
ON THIS 22nd day of November, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and forty-eight, before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared LOUIS CALDEIRA and NORMAN P. LUNA, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. A. QUARESMA
Notary Public in and for said County of Alameda, State of California.
(SEAL) D3,10,17,24,31

Why present low telephone rates must be increased

We're forced to apply for increases because we, too, are up against the problem of rising costs.
Here's the story:



Telephone rates have gone up much less than most other things

Most businesses throughout the land have had to raise their prices a great deal... as the examples on the chart show.

But telephone rates, which were not generally increased between the 1920's and 1947, have gone up little even in these postwar years. The average in California is 15%.

The amounts we are now asking will vary for different services...but will average about 14%.

Compared to the prices of other things you buy, telephone service will still be one of your greatest bargains.

For every telephone put in this year we have spent $600

We're breaking records putting in new telephones in the face of high costs. The equipment needed to serve the average telephone in California before the war cost us $243. But costs have shot up. Today we are adding equipment costing about $600 for each new telephone.

To bring more and better service to California, Pacific Telephone has had to invest $280,000,000 in new facilities since V-J Day. This is one of the largest construction programs of any business in the state.

And we should put millions more to work in California to meet your growing needs.

To attract more working dollars we must have reasonable rates

Where does the money come from... the money we invest in California? We have to compete with other businesses for it. It cannot come out of the rates you pay for service. It must come from the savings of men and women all over the country. They want, of course, safety and a reasonable return on their investment. Or they won't invest.

Actual experience has shown that what we are earning in 1948 is not enough to attract the kind of investment money we need.

Pacific Telephone does not ask that it be allowed to earn one penny more than is required to do the job. But we must earn enough to do a good job for California.

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company

FEATURES

Specials for Friday and Saturday, Dec. 3-4

COFFEE	M.J.B. (2 lb Can 97c)	lb 49¢
NUCOA	Margarine	lb 35¢
MAYONNAISE	Red & White, Pint Size	39¢
SUGAR	Pure Cane	5 lb 43¢
ROYAL PUDDINGS		4 PKGS. 24¢
DOG FOOD	Bar None or Old English	3 for 25¢
SOFTASILK	Cake Flour	PKG. 35¢
CORN FLAKES	Carnation, Giant Size	2 for 35¢
WHITE KING	Washing Powder, 1 lb 6-oz.	32¢

FREE - - TWO TURKEYS - - FREE
ASK FOR FREE TICKETS
DRAWING DEC. 23rd

CIGARETTES	All Brands (plus tax) Ctn.	1.39
HI-HO CRACKERS	Large Package	25¢

We Reserve the Right to Limit Amount

Niles Supermarket

Corner I and Second Streets — Niles
ALWAYS PLENTY OF PARKING SPACE

"IT WON'T BE LONG NOW," until the annual Washington Huskie football testimonial banquet, Joy Silveria points out on the school time clock to Joe Sankene and Dan Goularte (right). Sankene and Goularte, team co-captains this fall, will share master-of-ceremonies chores at the dinner, to be held Tuesday night in the High School cafeteria. —Post-Enquirer Photo

NEWARK SPORTSMEN SET TURKEY SHOOT

The Newark Sportsmen's Club will sponsor a turkey shoot December 19, at the club's field near Newark, it was announced today by Sid Gaunt, president.

The event will be held under direction of Field Chairman Frank Martin.

It is scheduled to begin at 9 a.m., and continue through the day on the club field, one mile west of Newark on the Dumbarton Bridge highway.

Use Register Want Ads!

MAN FINED $125 ON PHEASANT COUNT

R. G. Koehler of Oakland was fined $125 in Centerville Justice Court last Friday on a count of shooting a hen pheasant from a car.

Koehler was apprehended by Area Game Warden Fred Rogers November 21 on the Lloyd Road between Newark and Irvington.

The fine was levied by Justice of the Peace Allen G. Norris.

The soupfin shark catch has fallen until the species is facing commercial extinction.

SPORTS

FOUR HUSKIES MAKE ALL-LEAGUE TEAM

The Washington Huskies, who dominated S.C.V.A.L. football play all last fall, also dominated the All-S.C.V.A.L. grid eleven, placing four players on the mythical league "best," according to selections released this week.

Huskies included on the team are Joe Sankene, Huskie sensational halfback; Fred Duffie, tackle; Bernie Day, guard; and Ed Gurley, center.

They were picked on the basis of fall performances during the league pennant race. In addition, Sankene was named to the All-Santa Clara County team, selected from players in the P.A.L., S.C.V.A.L., and Bellarmine High School.

Runner-up Santa Clara placed two men on the team, while one each was chosen from Mountain View, Fremont, Los Gatos, San Jose Tech, and Gilroy.

Gurley, who nosed out Larry Azevedo of Santa Clara for the All-League center spot, will be the only returning veteran of the four. A demon on defense, his linebacking prowess was chiefly responsible for the nod.

Day, who was picked with Al Felice of Gilroy to top guard berths, was judged an easy choice by the experts. Although hampered by injuries toward the end of the season, he played a whale of a game on defense, handled much of the Huskie kicking off chore, and occasionally filled in at fullback in Coach Hird's double wing offensive setup.

Duffie, a tough tackle on both offensive and defensive, was also dubbed an easy pick by team selectors.

In Sankene the experts saw (1) the most consistent ball carrier in the league; (2) a sharp eyed passer; and (3) one of the valley's best long ball punters, which go to make up that triple threat combination coaches dream of. An excellent blocking back, he also was a mainstay on defense.

In the honorable mention column Washington ends Alex Morris and Gil "Snags" Orozco, and halfback Al Durazo were named.

Fishery research has been conducted by the State of California since 1919.

HUSKIE GRIDDERS TO BE HONORED

The Washington High School Huskies football team, who rode this fall to the first S.C.V.A.L. grid pennant won by the school in 10 years, will be hosted next Tuesday at a dinner given by the high school P.T.A. in the cafeteria.

Washington coaches, Jud Taylor, Clyde Voorhees and Irving Hird, 75 varsity and lightweight team members, school trustees, and others who participated in the fall pigskin season will be guests at the affair, which will be highlighted by addresses given by bay area "big-name" football players.

Team co-captains Joe Sankene and Dan Goularte will share master of ceremonies duties.

SOUTH COUNTY AREA HORSEMEN TO BE HOSTED

A group from the Southern Alameda County Horsemen's Association will be guests of an Oakland Horsemen's group tonight (Friday) at a dinner dance.

The delegation, 10 strong, will be hosted by the Metropolitan Horsemen's Association at the Moose City Club for annual dinner-dance festivities.

Attending from this area will be Mr. and Mrs. A. Silva and son of Newark, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Valenzuela, John Machado, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Lloyd Cambra.

SOUTH COUNTY LOOP LEAD IN THREE-WAY TIE

Behind six-hit pitching of J. Peters, Niles Merchants swamped Marlo Packers 7 to 3 last Sunday, in a Southern Alameda County League baseball contest played on the Centerville diamond.

The win boosted the Merchants into a three-way tie for league leadership, as the Ashland Merchants outlasted the Irvington Merchants 6 to 5 in a game played at Irvington. The Niles, Ashland, and Irvington clubs now have a league record of five wins, and one loss each.

Peters struck out 10 Marlo batters in going the route, while walking four. His team took a one to zero lead in the first inning, and scored in the first, third, fourth, sixth, and seventh innings to wrap up the win. The three Marlo runs were bunched in the third stanza.

Niles second baseman H. Odom took batting honors in the game, swatting three hits in four times at bat.

At Irvington, Manager Frank Mayer's squad "fell apart" in the first two innings, spotting Ashland six runs before tallying.

From the third inning on, it was a process of closing the gap, and the Irvington squad scored five runs in an attempt to sew up the game and league title.

As the league sits now, a playoff game to determine the first half winner is a distinct possibility. Ashland plays the Hayward Stars at Bret Harte, while Niles and Irving collide at Irvington.

Ashland, provided it wins its contest, will play the winner of the latter fracas for league championship.

Box scores follow:

MARLO PACKERS

	AB	R	H
S. Elizzery, cf	4	0	0
T. Sanches, lf	4	1	1
J. Sanches, 3b	4	1	2
L. Kelly, ss	3	1	1
Desmone, c	4	0	0
H. Serbak, 2b	4	0	0
P. Marcus, rf	3	0	0
M. Rebejo, 1b	2	0	0
D. Berrios, 1b	1	0	1
E. Perry, p	4	0	1
Totals	33	3	6

NILES MERCHANTS

	AB	R	H
C. Castleman, ss	3	2	1
F. Lewis, c	4	0	1
P. Fracolli, 1b	4	0	0
J. O'Donnell, lf	4	1	2
J. Dutra, 3b	2	0	1
H. Vervais, rf	4	0	1
H. Odom, 2b	4	2	3
W. Anderson, cf	1	1	0
J. Peters, p	4	1	2
Totals	30	7	11

A six-hour rainfall recorded by the U. S. Weather Bureau at Taylon, Texas, in 1921 measured 14.16 inches.

HORSEMEN'S GROUP DECEMBER MEET OFF

The Southern Alameda County Horsemen's Association, which regularly meets the first Monday night of each month, will not meet in December, it was announced this week by Bill Davis, president.

Meetings will resume in January, Davis added.

SCOUT TRAINING COURSE TO BEGIN

A three-meeting basic training course for Cub Scout leaders will be held for Southern Alameda County starting next Monday evening, it was announced this week by Don MacDougal, Southern Alameda County district executive for the Boy Scouts of America.

Sessions will be held in the Bret Harte school, Hayward.

SCOUT LEADERS TO HOLD ANNUAL FETE

Several Washington boy scout leaders will travel to Camp Dimond in Oakland tomorrow night, to participate in the annual recognition dinner meeting of the Oakland Area Boy Scout Council.

Council officers for the coming year will be elected, and recognitions given for outstanding service to boys in the Oakland area.

Judge Allen G. Norris of Centerville, Oakland Council president, will preside.

BUY STAMPS EARLY

Residents of Washington Township were urged today by local postmasters to buy stamps for Christmas mailing early, in order to relieve post office congestion during the holiday season.

Register ads are read in 1630 township families.

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Give us a call for fast Township service

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Your best Christmas present to them

GIVE THE FAMILY THEIR OWN HOME

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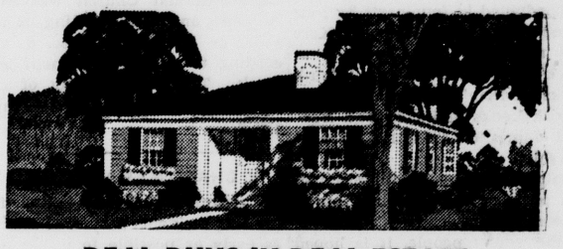

REAL BUYS IN REAL ESTATE

WEEK'S BEST BUYS

A beautiful, clean, almost new home, nicely landscaped, $7500.

Reduced price on beautiful Lindsay built home. $1500 down. Small monthly payments.

Center of town. Built in 1942. 3 bedroom home. Hardwood floors. $7900. Easy terms.

Good home in Niles, $5500. Well located.

New, fine home. Centerville. Hansen Tract, Thornton Ave. $10,000. $2000 down and $50 per month.

Big 6 room home on quarter acre, $5250. $1500 down, $45 per mo.

Excellent home on 100 foot front on highway. Niles. $9500. Easy terms.

Niles home and 100 foot chicken house on half acre. $6850. $2500 down will handle.

New duplex now paying 12% on investment. Terms. $9000.

Furnished home in Centerville. New. Fine. $10,500.

Furnished home and 3 acres. A dandy at $7500. $1700 will handle.

Many others, $3500 to $50,000. Many ranches, one acre up, at reasonable price and terms.

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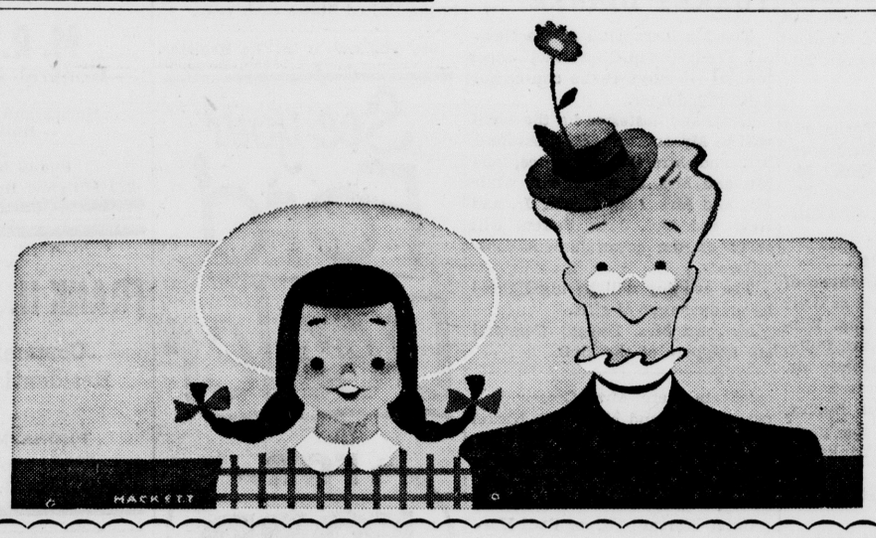

"Guess where Grandma's taking me!
—home for Christmas, by S. P.!"

Greetings! The 90,000 men and women of Southern Pacific wish you a Merry Christmas and urge you to get your S. P. reservations for the Holidays now! Phone or visit your nearest S. P. ticket office.

A new kind of Christmas gift. See the offer in the "gift box" at the bottom of this advertisement—it may be just the answer to your what-shall-I-give-whom problem.

A winter trip? Why not give *yourself* a mid-winter trip to somewhere?... To city, to desert resort, to mountain skiing, to the seacoast... S.P. has a route to take you there!

Be safe! No matter *where* you go or when—rain, shine, day, dark night, now or summertime—your S. P. train keeps you *safe*. The train is safe for you, for kids (who love it), for older folks who like to *relax*.

Christmas bargains. We've got them for you. Low fares on our most famous trains. All kinds of accommodations! Ask about them. And remember, children under 5 ride free, from 5 through 11, half fare!

Happy New Year! The 90,000 men and women of Southern Pacific hope to serve you faithfully next year, as they have done in the past, and wish you a prosperous 1949!

GIVE A TRIP FOR CHRISTMAS!

Want to give a delightful surprise to relatives or friends? Want to bring them to visit you, or send them someplace they've dreamed of?

Here's how you do it: just get in touch with S.P. Ask for a "Prepaid Order" to anyplace in the U. S. or Canada! We'll handle all the details—by wire if necessary!—without charge for the service, and furnish the ticket to anyone you specify. A wonderful Christmas gift!

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HERE AND THERE IN DECOTO

By RAMONA FINE

AT COUNCIL MEET

Mrs. Frank Margando and Mrs. Elvie Cardoza attended the 16th District P.T.A. council meeting on November 29 at the Amador High School at Pleasanton.

ON THANKSGIVING

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Margando and sons enjoyed their Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stevenson of Tennyson.

TURKEY DAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Cardoza and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Cardoza and family of Niles on Thanksgiving day.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pulis and family of Menlo Park were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fine on Thanksgiving day.

P.T.A. MEETS

The Decoto P.T.A. will hold its regular meeting on Wednesday evening, December 8. All fathers are invited. Speakers are expected to speak at the meeting.

LOCAL YOUTHS TO 'PREACH' SUNDAY

To the strains of organ music played by LeRoy Broun Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Broun of Centerville, the services of the Niles Congregational Church this next Sunday will commence under an entirely different set of circumstances than is customary on a Sunday morning.

In the absence of the Rev. Donald Kirkbride, who will be honeymooning with his bride at an unknown destination, the young people of the congregation will take over and conduct the entire service. The theme of the sermon will be conducted in four parts by four young "preachers," Ellsworth Kerr will speak on "Youth Looks at Work"; Rosella Lorenson, "Youth Looks at Play"; Don Maynard on "Youth Looks at Love"; and Barbara James on "Youth Looks at Worship."

Ralph Juhl and Bob Brahmst will perform the ushering duties. Because of the preparation made by the young people, it is hoped that an unusually large congregation will be present

MAGIC SHOW TO IMPRESS HYGIENE

The importance of dental hygiene will be subtly demonstrated to students at the Irvington Elementary school tomorrow in a magic show to be presented at a student assembly.

The program, arranged by Dr. March Fong, Alameda County schools hygienist, will begin at 9:15 in the school auditorium. Student body President Paul Thomsen will preside at the assembly.

LAST GUILD MEETING

The Ladies Guild of the Niles Congregational Church will hold its next, and final meeting of the year, on Wednesday, Dec. 8, according to an announcement this week. The first meeting of the new year will be held on January 5.

CHRISTMAS MAILING

Christmas packages bound for in-state residents should be mailed as early as possible to insure delivery in time, local postmasters warned township residents today.

TWENTY YEARS AGO...

(From the 1928 Files of The Township Register)

Larry Bettencourt was to compete with "Brick" Muller in a forward passing duel at the Alameda Elks' Charity football game.

A number of Niles people visited the Oakland Airport to view the filming of the big air picture, "Hell's Angels."

Patsy Duffey and Betty Bunker won Thanksgiving day essays at the Niles School.

Pond's Drug Store in Irvington was robbed of $120.

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Specials
For Friday and Saturday, Dec. 3-4
MEAT DEPARTMENT

PURE PORK LARD		lb 29¢
PORK CHOPS	(End Cuts lb 63c)	lb 68¢
PORK BUTTS		lb 55¢
PURE PORK SAUSAGE	Links	lb 55¢
SPARERIBS		lb 58¢
BACON	Sliced	lb 65¢
PICNIC HAMS		lb 49¢
HAM HOCKS		lb 39¢
HAMS	Butt Ends	lb 59¢
ROUND STEAK	Grade A Steer	lb 79¢
CHUCK ROAST	Grade A Steer	lb 55¢

CHEESE DEPARTMENT

Buffums	lb 59c
Monterey	lb 59c
VELVEETA, 2 lb Box	89c
ALLSWEET	lb 37c

VEGETABLE DEPARTMENT

ONIONS	lb 5c
CARROTS	Bunch 5c
POTATOES	10 Lbs. 39c
CELERY	lb 5c
APPLES, Delicious	2 Lbs. 29c
YAMS and SWEET POTATOES	3 Lbs. 29c

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Talk of the Township

BOULEVARD BANTER in Centerville has it that some localite put a billiard ball in his mouth last week on a bet, then — you guessed it — couldn't get it out. Rumor goes on that two teeth were extracted before the ball made its exit. But don't swallow the story, either.

DR. E. M. GRIMMER, who holds top berth on the Irvington Elementary School Board among other things, was recipient of a two-lesson "going through the chairs" course a la the Irvington Chamber of Commerce recently. A week ago, the doctor attended Chamber meeting to discover he was a new member of the Park Restoration committee. Last Tuesday "committeeman" Grimmer attended again—and emerged "chairman" Grimmer, at the instigation of A. E. Alameda and Alan Hirsch.

A NEW WRINKLE in education, grammar school style, will go on stage at the Irvington school today via a now-you-see-it, now-you-don't routine. In a unique combination of business and pleasure—or rather business and toothbrushing—a magician will impress dental care in the course of sleight-of-hand and illusion tricks. How? Take the rabbit-out-of-hat routine, for instance, and substitute toothbrush for bunny!

JUST OVER a "wartime" rest session is M. V. Lewis, Centerville postmaster, who returned to work Wednesday after a three weeks vacation spent "just sittin'." The time off had piled up during the wartime manpower shortage.

SHORT SHOTS: Just offhand, there are three big real estate and building expansion deals on tap for township schools. . . . That new face at Walt Connolly's in Irvington belongs to George Kommes. . . . The forthcoming County junior college proposal (balloting the 14th) faces a rough go, according to pros and cons both out our way and up the pike. Probability of a small vote has 'em all guessing.

ON TAP—Centerville Lions Club Whist tonight, 8 p.m., high school gym. Come and get a turkey. . . . Warm Springs 1st Annual Firemen's Ball Saturday night, Newark Pavilion. Red Wagon boys go steppin. . . . "Newark Nite" dinner dance Tuesday, Club Alabam, Ashland., 7:30 is the time.

GUS ROBERTSON TO ATTEND CONFAB

Irvington School Principal and District Superintendent Gus Robertson and Pleasanton District Suuperintendent Guy Householder will go to San Francisco tomorrow to participate in an all-day conference of the Bay Section of the California Principals Association.

The meeting, which will be held at the Hawthorne School, will deal mainly with education of physically handicapped children.

SHOW-DANCE
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BOB ALLEN ..... Sensational Tap Dancer
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GARDEN OF ALLAH BALLROOM
NILES ROAD — DANCING 9:00 to 1:00
STAGE SHOW 10:30 — DOORS OPEN 8:00
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EDWARD BRAZIL, shown with his bride, the former Ruth Pierce. The two were married at a large wedding performed at the Holy Ghost Church in Centerville, followed by a reception at the Country Club. They have bought a new home on Magnolia Street in Newark. —Photo by Ken Foster

CANYON HEIGHTS

By MARGARET COLE

Seems as though Twain Harte and Canyon Heights are always en rapport. This week Alice Jane Osborne visited all her friends in the Heights on Wednesday and Thursday. The Raymond Osbornes and their two daughters lived here until a few months ago when they moved to Twain Harte. Over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Clark visited the Murphys in Twain Harte. The Murphys left their home on Canyon Heights Drive about a month ago.

FOUR GENERATIONS

The T. G. Marshalls' Thanksgiving dinner, an annual family event, was attended by eighteen people. Four generations of the family were represented by Mr. Marshall's great-great-aunt, Mrs. Rose Sackett of Oakland; his grandmother, Mrs. Eugene Irving of Sacramento; his mother, Mrs. Eva Marshall of Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Vanier and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Muzsek and family of Oakland, Mrs. Frances Tillinghast and Miss Virginia Tillinghast of Sacramento.

TO LOS BANOS

Mr. and Mrs. Irven Borba and family drove to Los Banos for Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. Borba's sister. On Saturday Mr. Borba and brother, Carl, went fishing down Modesto way.

GUETSS AT STANGERS

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Stanger of Canyon Heights Drive had as their guests last Wednesday, Mrs. William Johnson and daughter, Polly, from American Falls. Idaho; Mr. and Mrs. Laurel Richardson and daughter, Laura Lee, of Burley, Idaho. The next day the party went to Richmond for Thanksgiving dinner with the Stanger's daughter, Mrs. Wilson Gingler.

BELATED BIRTHDAY

The Carl Crosswhites wound up an eventful month with a belated birthday dinner for their son. Larry, who is an Air Force flight mechanic stationed at March Field, Riverside, California. Helping celebrate were Mrs. Crosswhite's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nickel of Warm Springs, and brother, Thomas Nickel, also of Warm Springs.

OFF TO GUAM

Chief Warrant Officer Paul Harter, assistant engineer on a Navy cargo carrier, left for Guam on November 26. He expects to be back at his home on Deer Road some time in February.

TURKEY TALK

The Nielsens and family of Stenhammer Drive celebrated Thanksgiving with their niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fisher of San Leandro.

TO DENVER

Mrs. Mattox of Canyon Heights Drive left by plane for Denver last Saturday to visit her mother who is critically ill.

VISITORS ATTEND ST. JUDE MEET

Visitors at the last regular meeting of St. Jude Institute, Y.L.I., Irvington, were: Father Reardon, Institute Deputy Elmina Martin, and Evelyn George of St. Monica's Institute, Willows.

Members and families of St. Jude Institute and Y.M.I. are invited to attend the Potluck Christmas party on December 11, 7:30 p.m., at I.D.E.S. Hall, Mission San Jose. Santa Claus will be present.

Arrangements for the Christmas party are being made by Isabel Vargas, Evelyn Rose, Mabel Gomes, June Lewis, Bertha Rose, and Dorothy Enos.

On December 12, members of St. Jude Y.L.I., De Guadalupe Y. L.I., Township Y.M.I., and Knights of Columbus will attend mass and communion at St. Joseph's Church, Mission San Jose, followed by a breakfast at Washington Union High School cafeteria.

NEWARK MARINERS CLUB TO HOLD TURKEY DINNER

The Mariners Club of the Newark Presbyterian Church will meet tonight (Friday) at the church for a turkey dinner.

Hosts and hostesses for the event will be Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Grace, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis, while Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gygax Jr. and Rev. and Mrs. Jack Peffers will serve on the entertainment committee.

The evening will be highlighted by an exchange of gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Cogswell are skippers of the club.

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IRVINGTON SCHOOL BOARD TO OPEN BIDS FOR NEW CAFETERIA BUILDING

Bids for construction of a new school cafeteria capable of seating 320 persons will be opened by the Irvington School trustees December 13 at a special meeting to be held at the school.

The building, to be located adjacent to the present school, will include a storage room, walk-in refrigerator, kitchen, dish-washing room, small office, serving area, and dining space. Plans call for the structure to be completed in time for use next spring.

FIRST LINK

First link in an over-all plan for school expansion, the building will replace a cafeteria located in a converted classroom on campus. At present 270 children are being served lunches in the cafeteria program, in shifts from 11:30 to 12:35.

Upon completion, the present cafeteria will be converted into a kindergarten.

PLANS APPROVED

School board members Dr. E. M. Grimmer, Alfred Peixoto and R. A. Griffin will convene at 10 a.m. to open the bids, which were called by the board November 26. Plans and specifications were drawn by Higgins & Root, architects of San Jose, and have been inspected and approved by the County Schools Superintendent's office.

The new building will be of one story, 39 feet wide and 106 feet deep.

Students receive lunches at a cost of $3 per month for the first child in a family and $2 for each additional family member. The service has continued for nearly 10 years.

Future projects of the board include a new community building and another unit for primary grade classrooms. School enrollment, which now stands at 318 pupils, is expected to swell to over 500 in the next few years.

FINAL RITES SAID FOR O. YARBROUGH

Final rites were held last week for Odie Pickens Yarbrough, well known locally, who died November 25 at the Oakland Veterans Hospital.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Bonnie Lloyd and husband, and a grandson, Danny Lloyd; four brothers, Jim, Charlie, Brockston and Ernie Yarbrough; and three sisters, Mrs. Bessie Zemer, Mrs. Abbie Martin, and Mrs. Lillie Butterfield.

Mr. Yarbrough had been in failing health for some time.

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...Around the Township...

Irvington Boy at The Assemblies

Winding up his Thanksgiving week holiday from Bellarmine Prep School last week, John Connolly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Connolly of Irvington, attended the Junior Assemblies at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco last Saturday night, escorting sub-deb Mary Anne Minenna of San Francisco to the affair. Prior to the dance, John was a dinner guest at the Minenna home.

Irvington Couple Hosts At Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Elizabeth Mackintosh of Hayward was the guest of honor last week at a buffet dinner given for her by her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mackintosh of the Niles-Mission Road. The occasion was in celebration of her seventy-fifth birthday.

Those who arrived to extend their felicitations to the honored guest included her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blanchard and daughter Beverly of San Francisco; another son, Captain Howard Mackintosh of San Francisco; a niece, Mrs. William O'Neill and husband and daughter Kathleen; a sister, Mrs. Harry Moore and husband who have just come down from their home in Canada; Mrs. Grace Sutherland of San Jose; and Mrs. Katherine Curtin of San Francisco.

Thanksgiving Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Vargas of Santos avenue, Centerville, had the following guests for Thanksgiving dinner: Mrs. Mae Henry and Miss Anna Vargas of San Leandro, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Burnham and sons of San Lorenzo, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Branco and son, and Mrs. Alice Gabriel of Oakland, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mattos and daughter of Niles, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Amaral Jr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Foster, David Vargas and Elaine, all of Irvington. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Faria of San Leandro dropped in later in the evening.

Double Celebration

It was a double celebration at the Howard Overacker home in Mission San Jose on Thanksgiving Day. King Turkey and little two-year-old Guy Overacker vied for honors, for Guy, the Overackers little son, was observing his birthday on that day. Present for the celebration were the little boy's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Elliott of Niles, Mrs. G. Bernal of Irvington, and Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Blacow of Sacramento.

At Irvington

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Dias of Niles were Thanksgiving day visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Amaral Sr. of Irvington.

Anniversary-Holiday Dinner Celebration

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simas celebrated Thanksgiving day and their 30th anniversary at the same time, at a large family dinner party at their home in Newark.

Present were their daughter, Lorraine, and three sons; Mr. Clarence Simas and wife and daughter, Barbara, of Gilroy; Joe Simas Jr. and wife of Port Chicago, and Richard Simas and his wife of Newark.

Also present for the festive occasion was Mrs. Simas' mother, Mrs. Connie Goularte of Sacramento; and a sister, Mrs. Rene Silva and husband and son, Ronnie, of Sacramento; Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Dias and daughters, Geraldine and Josephine, of Santa Clara, and sons, Sonny and George; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Avilla and daughter, Evelyn, of San Jose.

Doremus Scudder Off to Alaska

It will be of interest to many people in the township to learn of the promotion of Doremus Scudder, former Niles resident, to the post of Boy Scout Executive of a wide section of Alaska.

Mr. Scudder, son of Mrs. Dora Mae Scudder of Niles, has been serving in a Scouting position in Watsonville for the past two years. He and his wife left yesterday for the north, to live in Ketchikan.

John Ferrante's Daughter Christened in Hawaii

Little Jane Marie Ferrante, three months' old daughter of Lt. and Mrs. John Ferrante, was christened on November 14 at a ceremony performed at the Navy base chapel at Pearl Harbor.

A celebration followed the ceremony with close friends of the young parents present. They were Mrs. Mitchell and daughter, Ruth, known to many in this community as former Centerville residents; Captain and Mrs. Murray, Commander and Mrs. James Dowdell, Lieutenant and Mrs. Ford, and Ensign John Sheffer.

Fishermen's Luck

Mr. Jack Holden who, with his wife, is a guest at the home of her brother, Mr. Tom Pugmire, accompanied Mr. Pugmire on a fishing trip to Hy's Resort near the Big Breaks last week-end. One 30-pound bass and one 8-pound bass were caught by the two men.

The Holdens make their home in Los Angeles.

Good News

The many friends of Mrs. Fred Drew of San Jose, formerly of Niles, will be glad to hear that she is recuperating nicely from a recent operation.

Shinn Family Completes Tour of the East

After an extensive tour of the eastern part of the United States, Mrs. Joseph Shinn and her son and daughter-in-law, "Nellie and Joe," have returned home to Niles.

The three have been away since the middle of September. Mrs. Shinn, senior, went straight through to Edgartown, Massachusetts, and was later joined there by the junior Shinns, who had stopped off in Indiana to visit relatives, and to buy a new car which they drove on to New York, and thence to New England.

The three toured along the eastern coast, taking in the sights of New England, and down to Baltimore, over to Washington, D. C. (where they lunched with Mrs. Fay Van Ophem, formerly of Niles) and on to the famed town of Williamsburg, where they spent two days. Traveling farther south, they then swung over to New Orleans, and from there to Texas where they stopped off to say "hello" to the George Sladeks, also former Niles residents. Mr. Sladek, former superintendent of Kraftile, now owns his own tile factory at San Angelo, Texas.

On the way east, Mrs. Shinn, incidentally, had stopped off at Ames, Iowa, to visit Dr. and Mrs. Lush, who will be remembered by many people in Niles as summer visitors here.

From Texas, the motorists came on to California, stopping off again to visit friends at Palm Springs, and finally arrived home in Niles last Monday, after a "thoroughly enjoyable trip."

Local Couples To San Luis Obispo

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ferrante of Niles, accompanied by her niece and husband, Judge and Mrs. E. A. Quaresma and family, motored down to San Luis Obispo over Thanksgiving to spend the holiday with Mrs. Quaresma's father, Mr. V. Savio, and with Mr. Ferrante's brother, Mr. Paul Ferrante. It proved to be a very enjoyable four-day trip, inasmuch as they hadn't seen Mr. Savio since he had returned to New York after spending several months back there visiting his 85-year-old mother, and other relatives.

Decoto Girl Observes Birthday

Little Sheila Vance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Vance of Eleventh street, Decoto, celebrated her second birthday at a party given for her by her mother last Tuesday.

A big birthday cake featured the refreshments for the little girl's friends who attended: Karen Jackson and Gay Comfort of Niles; Peter James Gilli, Ronnie Meck, Julie Ann Gilli and Clifford Meck of Newark; and Jeffrey Lynn Navas of Ashland.

Luncheon at Ramor Oaks

Mrs. Chris McCullough of San Francisco was hostess at a luncheon given last Friday at Ramor Oaks in Atherton, which was attended by several localites including Mmes. Malcolm Cole, A. W. Gorman, John Berchem, L. R. Batman, Clyde Hewitt, and Henry Vervais. Also present was Mrs. Larry Thatcher of San Mateo, former Niles resident.

MEMBERS OF THE RED CROSS Gray Ladies are shown wrapping gifts for the Livermore Veterans' Hospital. They are, left to right: Mrs. Mary Fields, Mrs. Nellie Talley, and Mrs. Sophie Quartaroli, all of Niles.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH IS SCENE OF KING-COSTA NUPTIALS LAST SUNDAY

By RAMONA FINE

The marriage of Frederick Carl Costa and Vivian Marie King took place on Sunday, November 27, at three o'clock at St. Joseph's Church in Mission San Jose, with Father Leal performing the ceremony.

Roselyn Costa, sister of the groom, was maid-of-honor. Edward Gurley was best man, and ushers were Alvin Silva, Joseph Lewis, and George Milina.

The bride's gown was of white satin, fashioned with a train, and a long veil with tiara of seed pearls. Her bouquet was of orchids and bouvardia, and she carried a prayer book with a white satin marker.

The maid of honor was in white marquisette, heavily ruffled. With it she wore a white picture hat, with long white satin streamers in back. She carried an old-fashioned bouquet of pink rosebuds and pink chrysanthemums, with blue streamers.

Irene Leonares of Hayward was the organist.

The beautiful six-tiered wedding cake was cut at a reception at the Country Club in Centerville, which was attended by over 200 friends of the popular pair. Music was provided by the bridegroom's former orchestra pals, Jed Oxborrow, Tony Lopez, Alvin Silva, and Santos Alvarez.

A wedding breakfast was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Costa, parents of the groom, for the immediate wedding party.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Mary King and the late John King of Irvington.

The newlyweds will make their home with the bride's mother in Irvington. Their honeymoon destination is unknown.

MOHN-KIRKBRIDE NUPTIALS WILL BE PERFORMED TONIGHT AT EIGHT

Another shower for popular bride-elect Miki Mohn was given by her cousin, Mrs. Pat Mohn Pierce, at her Newark home last Friday night.

Miki will be married to the Rev. Donald Kirkbride at ceremonies to be performed at the young minister's church, the Congregational Church at Niles, at 8 o'clock this evening (Friday).

Those attending the shower were Mrs. Lucille Facey, Mrs. Margaret Anderson, Mrs. Ellen Mohn, Mrs. Jennie Mohn, Mrs. Violet Mohn, Mrs. Florence Beckers, Mrs. Kirkbride (the mother of the groom-to-be), Mrs. June De Knoop, Mrs. Dorothy Mohn, Mrs. Norma Graber, and Miss Marilyn Kirkbride.

A wedding rehearsal was held Wednesday evening at the church, followed by a party for the attendants at the Mohn home on G street.

A reception, following the wedding, will be held at the "Old Adobe" tonight for all of the many friends of the young couple.

In the City

Miss Jean Poole of Newark spent last week-end in San Francisco as a guest of Miss Marguerita Amarillas. Both young ladies are employed at the Department of Justice in San Francisco.

In Carmel

Mrs. Ann Walpert of Niles and Mrs. Georgia Jones, also of Niles, spent last week-end in Carmel.

In Vacaville

Mr. and Mrs. Marston Dassel of Niles spent Thanksgiving in Vacaville with Mr. and Mrs. Will Cole.

Family Party at La Honda

It was a family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woodward in La Honda on Thanksgiving day. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woodward and Mr. Arnold Mozzetti from Niles, Mr. and Mrs. William Enos and son, William, from Irvington, Miss Beth King from Centerville, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Irons from San Jose.

At Thanksgiving

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Duffey and Mell Duffey of Niles spent the Thanksgiving holiday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Catterlin in San Francisco.

From Redwood City

Mr. and Mrs. Camille Santos and sons, and Mrs. Jane Foster of Redwood City, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Foster of Irvington, one day last week.

To New Home

Mrs. C. W. Nash and her son, John, moved last Sunday into their new home at Holland Place off of Santos Road. The two had been living at Sierra Court.

Register ads are read in 1630 township families.

JUNIOR COLLEGE ELECTION SAMPLE BALLOTS IN MAIL

Sample ballots for the December 14 special election on a proposal to create a junior college district for Alameda County, are in the mails this week, en route to Washington Township voters.

This was revealed by County Superintendent of Schools Vaughn D. Seidel, whose office has been leading a campaign to obtain passage of the measure.

Lone organized opposition to the plan has come from the Hayward High School District, with District Superintendent O. B. Paulsen speaking to several groups in the county and township against the plan.

The Junior College proposal will be the lone item on the ballot, and will call for a simple "yes" or "no" vote "For the formation of a Junior College District to include all of the territory of all of the school districts and unified school districts lying entirely within the boundaries of Alameda County and all of the territory of Pleasanton Joint School District of Alameda and Contra Costa Counties, which territory lies partly within the boundaries of Alameda County and partly within the boundaries of Contra Costa County."

Included with the sample ballots are the "Plans and Recommendations for an Alameda County Junior College District," which supplies detail statistics pertinent to the proposal.

HEADS RESERVATIONS

Dr. Emma Marks of Irvington is in charge of reservations to a gala Christmas party to be held next Thursday in Lafayette by the Women's Auxiliary to the East Bay Counties Chiropody Society, The Register learned this week.

Wedding Bells

Wedding bells for Bobby Lowe of Hayward and Jimmie Stinnett of Niles who obtained their marriage license in Oakland.

Dinner Guest

Russell Jones of Niles was a dinner guest at the Fred Duffie home on Thanksgiving day.

Family Thanksgiving

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ebright of Niles entertained all the members of their family on Thanksgiving day at a family dinner party.

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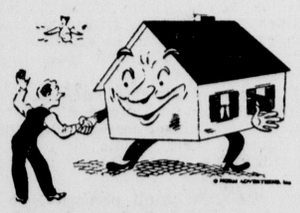

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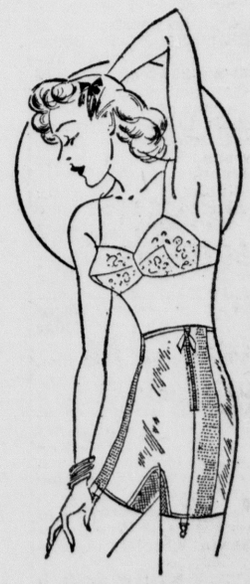

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HI CHATTER

By MARGARET COLE

It's supposed to be a chatty column all right, but did you ever try to chat on a typewriter? It's something like trying to paint a sunset scene in oils when you can't even draw a matchbox in pencil. There was plenty of talk this week about Thanksgiving doings and such and we did manage to glean two outstanding items. Did you know that Pauline Harting was married last Friday? Didn't have a chance to get the details but here's our heartiest congratulations and best wishes for much happiness!

There are four extremely happy boys strutting around the campus of Washington Hi. (No, they don't really strut, but we mean that they have a right to do so.) These boys, Joe Sankene, Fred Duffie, Bernie Day and Ed Gurley, have earned the admiring congratulations of the whole student body and faculty for their achievement. We know that they were outstanding on our own Varsity squad so we're mighty proud that they made the "All-Valley" list.

Basketball seems to be the topic of conversation, at least it's being tossed around and will be even more so after the first game. The Huskies are scheduled to play Amador High from Pleasanton on the afternoon of December 7 in our gym.

What is it about the daily doings at Washington Hi that makes you almost willing to drag yourself out of a warm bed in what seems to be practically the middle of the night (yawn! stretch! and maybe a bad word or two) and skip gaily off to school? Most of you will say "It's not the daily doings; it's the truant officer." But really, don't you actually look forward to seeing the dream man or girl again and wouldn't you girls be lost without someone to help exaggerate the latest gossip? Here's an idea of the typical day:

Your mother having forced you out of bed with the threat that she would send in your little brother (he has his armor on and is toting a machine gun in order to get his day of goat-getting off to a good start), you decide it would be healthier to get up. That ordeal would leave almost anyone "plumb tuckered out" for the rest of the day but we'll suppose you are better than average. You are bound and determined to catch the bus which leaves in five minutes and you are quite sure you will make it, with only the small matter of dressing, eating breakfast and gathering your books and things together. You will note that this period offers a fertile field for your small brother, the lovable, adorable little fiend, to get in some more of his good work.

You get to school in plenty of time to get to locker and to class, but ——. Nuts! There goes the last bell, so you meekly enter Room 3 to obtain a little slip. You think you have a good excuse so you present it and Dorothy, who is very understanding, gives you a "pink" (unexcused) slip. Oh well! Just regard it as a challenge!

First and second periods you're likely to pick up a little gossip here and there. Third period you'll no doubt notice Shirley and Danny outside of Mrs. Doane's room. On this particular day Danny has on a brown and yellow checkered

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LEGAL NOTICE

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 12 N. S.

IN THE MATTER OF THE CONSTRUCTION OF SANITARY SEWERS IN ASSESSMENT DISTRICT NO. 1, IRVINGTON SANITARY DISTRICT, ALAMEDA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA.

RESOLVED by the Sanitary Board of the Irvington Sanitary District that it is the intention of the Sanitary Board to order the following work to be done and improvements to be made in the Irvington Sanitary District, County of Alameda, State of California, to-wit:

It is the intention of the District to construct a sanitary sewer system in Assessment District No. 1, Irvington Sanitary District of Alameda County, California, consisting of the necessary collection mains described herein, and including manholes, cleanouts, and such other construction as is necessary for the installation and protection of said mains and for the replacement of any paving or other improvements damaged or removed during the installation, the sewers more specifically described as follows:

On Olive Avenue, an eight inch diameter vitrified clay sewer beginning at the existing manhole at the intersection of Olive Avenue and Irvington-Mission San Jose Road (County Road No. 398), and extending along Olive Avenue to a manhole to be constructed at the intersection of Olive Avenue and Palm Avenue.

On Palm Avenue, a six inch diameter vitrified clay sewer, extending northerly from the manhole to be constructed at the intersection of Palm Avenue and Olive Avenue approximately 400 feet; a six inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending southerly from the herein described manhole at the intersection of Palm Avenue and Olive Avenue, approximately 610 feet; a six inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending northerly from the existing manhole at the intersection of Palm Avenue and Irvington-Mission San Jose Road approximately 590 feet.

On Pine Street, a six inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending easterly from the existing manhole at the intersection of Pine Street and Bryant Street, approximately 742 feet to a manhole to be constructed on the westerly side of Vallejo Street.

On Cedar Street, a six inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending easterly from a manhole to be constructed at the intersection of Cedar Street and Bryant Street approximately 250 feet; and a six inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending easterly from a manhole to be constructed at the intersection of Cedar Street and Ellsworth Street approximately 250 feet.

On Ellsworth Street, a six inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending northerly from a manhole to be constructed at the intersection of Ellsworth Street and Pine Street, to a manhole to be constructed at the intersection of Ellsworth Street and Cedar Street.

On Vine Street, a six inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending easterly from a manhole to be constructed at the intersection of Vine Street and Bryant Street, approximately 250 feet; a six inch diameter vitrified clay pipe extending easterly from a manhole to be constructed at the intersection of Vine Street and Ellsworth Street, approximately 250 feet.

On Olive Street, a six inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending easterly from a manhole to be constructed at the intersection of Olive Street and Bryant Street, approximately 250 feet.

On Irvington-Mission San Jose Road, a six inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending easterly from the existing manhole at the intersection of the Irvington-Mission San Jose Road and Ellsworth Street, approximately 250 feet.

On Olive Avenue, an eight inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending northerly from the existing manhole at the intersection of Olive Avenue and Irvington-Mission San Jose Road to a manhole to be constructed in an easement described below, said manhole to be on the northerly extension of Olive Avenue.

Along a right of way and easement described as follows: Portion of Lot 17, as said lot is shown on the "Map of a portion of the property of the Palmdale Company, Washington Township, Alameda Co. Cal.", etc., filed December 20, 1904, in book 20 of Maps, page 8, in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County, described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the southwestern line of the County Road leading from Niles to Mission San Jose, with the northern line of the 4.86 acre tract of land described in the deed by Oscar L. Starr and Hazel P. Starr to Irene L. Hansen, dated April 1, 1927, recorded April 2, 1927, in book 1575 of Official Records, page 186, under Recorder's Series No. X/26739; running thence along the northern line of said 4.86 acre tract south 82° 55′ west 636.40 feet to the western line of said 4.86 acre tract; thence along the last named line south 7° 05′ east 194.20 feet, more or less, to the southern line of said Lot 17; thence along the last named line south 82° 55′ west 198.10 feet, more or less, to the direct extension northerly of the westerly line of Olive Avenue, as shown on said map; thence along said extended line north 7° 05′ west 10 feet; thence north 82° 55′ east 188.10 feet, more or less, to a line drawn parallel with the western line of said 4.86 acre tract and distant at right angles 10 feet westerly therefrom; thence along said parallel line and along the direct extension thereof, north 7° 05′ west 194.20 feet, more or less, to a line drawn parallel with the direct extension westerly of the northern line of said 4.86 acre tract and distant at right angles 10 feet northerly therefrom, thence along the last said parallel line and along the extension thereof, north 82° 55′ east 643 feet, more or less, to said line of said County Road; thence along the last named line south 30° 45′ east 10 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning. An eight inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending the length of said right of way and easement.

Along Vallejo Street, an eight inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending southerly from a manhole at the intersection of Vallejo Street with Mill Creek Road, along the easterly side of Vallejo Street to a point approximately 460 feet south of the intersection of Vallejo Street with the Irvington-Mission San Jose Road; an eight inch diameter vitrified clay sewer connecting the above described sewer with the sewer through the hereinbefore described right of way and easement; an eight inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending southerly from a point approximately 800 feet north of the intersection of Vallejo Street with the Irvington-Mission San Jose Road, along the westerly side of Vallejo Street to a point approximately 320 feet south of the intersection of Vallejo Street and Vine Street; and an eight inch diameter vitrified clay pipe extending across Vallejo Street at the northerly end of said pipe; a six inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending northerly from a manhole to be constructed at the intersection of Vallejo Street and Pine Street, approximately 590 feet.

On Mill Creek Road, a six-inch diameter vitrified clay sewer extending easterly from a manhole to be constructed at the intersection of Mill Creek Road and Vallejo Street, approximately 590 feet.

All of the above mentioned work is more particularly and specifically set forth and described in the plans, profiles and specifications for said work heretofore adopted by the Sanitary Board of the Irvington Sanitary District by its Resolution No. 6 N. S., which plans, profiles and specifications are hereby referred to for all particulars in connection therewith. The public streets and rights-of-way hereinabove referred to are shown and delineated in detail and specifically located on the plans hereinabove referred to, and reference is hereby specifically made to said plans, and notice is hereby given to all parties that specific locations thereof are contained in said plans; and be it further

RESOLVED that sanitary sewers and appurtenances be constructed in said streets, avenues, roads, lanes, courts, places and/or public ways hereinabove described, of the dimensions, materials, and in the particular locations set forth and shown on the plans and specifications and detailed drawings hereinabove and hereafter referred to; together with the construction of all appurtenances thereto, including necessary fittings, trenchings, grading and regrading, excavation and fill, removal of obstructions, connections to existing services, back filling, reconstruction of existing ground surface as required to conditions existing prior to commencement of construction, all in the manner, of the materials and to the dimensions and to the grades, and in the particular locations as the same are more fully shown on the plans and specifications and detailed drawings hereinabove and hereinafter referred to;

That the structures and work and improvements herein described shall be constructed to the grades and sub-grades elevations severally shown upon the plans and profiles and detailed drawings thereof in the respective locations thereof, to which plans and profiles reference is hereby expressly made for a description of the grades to which all of the work and improvements under this Resolution of Intention shall be done, which said grades are hereby adopted and established as the official grades therefor for all purposes in connection with proceedings pursuant to this Resolution of Intention; notice is hereby further given that said grades are or may be, in part, new and different from those heretofore established or existing, or may be, and in some cases are, different from existing ground levels;

All of said work and improvements shall be done to the lines and grades as shown on the plans and profiles and in accordance with the plans and specifications heretofore, and on the 27th day of October, 1948, adopted by the Sanitary Board of the Irvington Sanitary District by Resolution No. 6 N. S., for the doing of said work and improvement, and which are now on file in the office of the Secretary of the Sanitary Board. Said plans and specifications, said profiles and detailed drawings and diagrams accompanying the same are hereby expressly referred to for full and detailed description and location of said proposed work and improvements, the public streets and rights-of-way involved, and the grades of the public streets and rights-of-way involved, and of the grades to which said improvements are to be constructed.

Excepting from all of the herein described work all of said work that has already been done to the lines and grades shown on said plans and profiles, and in accordance with said plans and specifications;

All of said work shall include, without duplication, any and all streets, intersections, terminations and opposite terminations occurring within the limitations of said work;

The attention of all persons is directed to the fact that all of said classes of work above described may not be constructed upon all of the streets and/or public ways above described in their entirety, but only upon the particular locations as shown on the plans and specifications, to which the attention of all persons is directed for a description of the work, location of the several classes of work, a description of the classes of work to be done upon each of the several public streets or rights-of-way named, a description of the streets and rights-of-way, and for all other information contained in the said plans and specifications pertinent to the doing and completion of the work and improvements herein proposed;

And whereas, said contemplated work and improvements, in the opinion of this Sanitary Board, is of more than local or ordinary benefit, said Sanitary Board hereby makes the expenses and costs of said work and improvements chargeable upon a district, which said district said Sanitary Board hereby declares the district benefited by the work and improvements herein described; said district shall include that territory in the Irvington Sanitary District, County of Alameda, State of California, which is shown on that certain plat or map on file in the office of the Secretary of the Sanitary Board, and which is entitled and described as, "Map Showing Boundaries of District to be Assessed for the Improvements to be made in Assessment District No. 1, Irvington Sanitary District of Alameda County, California", and which said map or plat indicates, by a boundary line, the extent of the territory included in the proposed district and covers all details as to the extent of the area to be assessed; said map or plat is, by this reference incorporated herein and made a part hereof;

Excepting from the area shown and delineated on said map or plat hereinabove referred to the area of all public streets, avenues, lanes, roads, drives, courts, places, public arks, and all easements and rights-of-way therein contained belonging to the public, and also all property owned by the State of California, the County of Alameda, and all School Districts contained therein, now in use in the performance of a public function.

Notice is hereby given that serial bonds to represent unpaid assessments and to bear interest at the rate of not more than five per cent (5%) per annum will be issued hereunder in the manner provided by division 10 of the Streets and Highways Code, the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, and the last installment of such bonds shall mature nine years from the 2nd day of July next succeeding 10 months from their date.

Notice is hereby given that on Friday, the 17th day of December, 1948, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock P.M. of said day, at the meeting place of the Sanitary Board of the Irvington Sanitary District, which is hereby fixed at Mission San Jose Grammar School Building on Vallejo Street, Mission San Jose, California, in said Sanitary District, any and all persons having any objection to the proposed work or improvements or any objections to the grades to which the said work is proposed to be done or to the boundaries of the district proposed to be assessed to pay the cost and expenses of said work, may appear before said Sanitary Board of the Irvington Sanitary District and show cause why said improvements should not be carried out in accordance with this Resolution, and may present written protest, not later than the hour hereinabove set for hearing, against the doing of said work, the grades to which said work is to be done, or the extent of the territory to be assessed to pay the cost and expenses thereof;

The Secretary of the Sanitary Board shall cause this Resolution of Intention to be published twice in the Township Register, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published and circulated in Alameda County, California, which said newspaper has heretofore been designated by said Sanitary Board as the newspaper in which shall be printed and published all notices, resolutions, orders and other matters required to be published in the proceedings taken pursuant to this Resolution and under the provisions of the said "Improvement Act of 1911" and amendments thereto; the first publication of said notice shall be not less than ten (10) days prior to the date herein fixed for hearing on this Resolution of Intention;

The Superintendent of Streets shall cause to be conspicuously posted upon the lines of said contemplated work and improvements and in front of all of the property to be assessed notices of the passage of this Resolution of Intention in the time, form and manner required by law.

The Secretary of the Sanitary Board is hereby directed to mail notices of the adoption of this Resolution of Intention, postage prepaid, to all persons owning real property proposed to be assessed, whose names and addresses appear on the last equalized assessment roll for Alameda County Taxes, or as known to said Secretary, said mailing to be at least fifteen (15) days prior to the day herein fixed for the hearing on this Resolution of Intention, all in the time, form and manner prescribed in said "Improvement Act of 1911" as amended.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly adopted by the Sanitary Board of the Irvington Sanitary District at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 23rd day of November, 1948, by the following vote, to-wit:

AYES: R. B. Benbow, William Rose, R. J. Wright, President L. Freitas.
NOES: None.
ABSENT: J. H. Durham.

R. J. WRIGHT
Clerk of the Sanitary Board, Irvington Sanitary District, Alameda County, California.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 105298 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of ANTONIO P. SILVEIRA, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: November 18, 1948.

MANUEL E. SOITO
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney for said Executor
Ellsworth Building
Niles, California. N19,26,D3,10

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 104896 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, EUGENE E. SILVA, Executor of the Will of MANUEL D. SILVA, who was also known as M. D. SILVA and also as MANUEL DUTRA SILVA, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said decedent to, within six months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the office of NORRIS & BROUN, 114 North Main Street, Centerville, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: November 10, 1948.

EUGENE E. SILVA
Executor of the Will of Manuel D. Silva, who was also known as M. D. Silva, and also as Manuel Dutra Silva, Deceased.

NORRIS & BROUN
Attorneys for Executor,
114 North Main Street,
Centerville, California. N12,19,26D3

CERTIFICATE OF INDIVIDUAL TRANSACTING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am transacting business in the State of California, having my principal place of business in the Town of Newark, County of Alameda, State of California, under the firm name and style of "NEWARK ELECTRIC CO."; that I am the only person having any interest in the same business and that my name in full and my place of residence are as follows: A. R. DUTRA, 2705 Thornton Avenue, Newark, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 19th day of November, 1948.

A. R. DUTRA

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss:

On this 19th day of November in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and forty-eight before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared A. R. DUTRA, known to me to be the person described in and whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. A. QUARESMA
Notary Public in and for said County of Alameda, State of California.

(SEAL) N26,D3,10,17,24

CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERS DOING BUSINESS UNDER A A FICTITIOUS NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned are co-partners transacting business in the County of Alameda, State of California, having our principal place of business at 2089 Thornton Avenue, Newark, California, under the fictitious firm name and style of "NEWARK PHARMACY"; that we are the only persons having any interest in said business, and that the places of our residence are hereinafter set forth following our respective signatures hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 16th day of November, 1948.

JAMES P. O'CONNOR
RFD Box 146
Niles, California
LILLIAN C. O'CONNOR
RFD Box 146
Niles, California

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

On this 16th day of November in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and forty-eight before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared JAMES P. O'CONNOR and LILLIAN C. O'CONNOR, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. A. QUARESMA
Notary Public in and for said County of Alameda, State of California.

(SEAL) N19,26,D3,10,17

LEGAL NOTICE

No. 15492
CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

We, the undersigned, FRED SANCHEZ, CHARLES SANCHEZ, FRANK SANCHEZ and PETER SANCHEZ, hereby certify that we are co-partners, transacting business in the State of California, with our principal place of business at Oakland, in the County of Alameda, State of California, under the firm name and style of SANCHEZ BROS.; that we are the only persons having an interest in said business, and that the places of our residence are hereinafter set forth following our respective signatures hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 1st day of November, 1948.

FRED SANCHEZ, Residing at R.F.D., 458, Niles, California.
CHARLES SANCHEZ, Residing at R.F.D., Rt. 1, Box 127, Ripon, California.
FRANK SANCHEZ, Residing at Decoto, California.
PETER SANCHEZ, Residing at R.F.D., 458, Niles, California.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

On this 1st day of November, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-eight, before me, ALLEN G. NORRIS, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared, FRED SANCHEZ, CHARLES SANCHEZ, FRANK SANCHEZ and PETER SANCHEZ, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

ALLEN G. NORRIS
Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

(SEAL) N19,26,D3,10,17

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees of Irvington School District of Alameda County hereby calls for sealed proposals to be delivered to the Clerk of said Board at the office of said Board in the Irvington School Building, Irvington, California, until Monday, the 13th day of December, 1948, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., at which time and place said bids will be opened for the furnishing of all labor, materials, equipment, mechanical workmanship, transportation and services required for alterations and additions to the temporary cafeteria building now located on the Irvington School grounds, the erection and completion of a new connecting passage between the cafeteria building and the existing main building, and the erection and completion of a new toilet room building, and passage to existing temporary class room building, all on the grounds of the Irvington School Building located on the southwestern side of the State Highway from Irvington to Centerville, Irvington, California, for the Irvington School District of Alameda County. Bidders must bid on Proposition No. 1 and on Alternate A.

These bids shall be presented in accordance with plans and specifications for said work prepared by Chester Root, Architect, 84 South First Street, San Jose, California, which are on file at the said office of the said Board of Trustees located as above mentioned.

On deposit of Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) said plans and specifications may be had by any prospective bidder for the work above mentioned on application to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees hereinabove mentioned or to the architect, and in each case shall be returned at the time the bids are submitted.

If the plans and specifications are not returned to the office of said Board within the time above specified or are returned in a mutilated or damaged condition, the said deposit will be retained by said Irvington School District as agreed and liquidated damages for said multilation or detention.

Bids must be made on bid forms obtained at the said office of the Board of Trustees or at the office of the Architect, and must be signed by the bidder and accompanied by a bid bond in the form procured from said office, duly executed by the bidder as principal and a corporation authorized to do business in the State of California as surety naming the Irvington School District of Alameda County as obligee, or by a cashier's check or certified check, certified without qualification, drawn on a solvent bank of the State of California or on a national bank doing business in the State of California, in the amount of Three Thousand Dollars ($3,000.00), and made payable to the Irvington School District of Alameda County. Should the party or parties to whom the contract should be awarded fail to enter into the contract after the award and to file the required bonds the proceeds of said certified or cashier's check or the amount paid by the bidder or his surety pursuant to the terms of said bid bond either voluntarily or pursuant to the judgment rendered by the court in any action brought thereon will be retained by said Irvington School District as agreed and liquidated damages.

The contractor and all subcontractors under him must pay all laborers, workmen and mechanics on said work, or any part thereof, not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for legal holiday and overtime work, for work of a similar character in the locality in which the work is performed, to wit: Irvington School District of Alameda County, which per diem wages shall not be less than the stipulated rates contained in a schedule thereof which has been ascertained and determined by said Board of Trustees and which is now on file in the office of said Board of Trustees and by reference incorporated and specified herein and made a part hereof, and which said general prevailing rate of per diem wages as hereinabove referred to and adopted for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute this contract, is herein specified as follows:

CRAFTS OR TYPES OF WORKMEN	Prevailing Hourly Wage Rate
Asbestos Workers (8 hrs.)	$1.90
Boiler Makers (8 hrs.)	2.15
Boiler Makers Helpers (8 hrs.)	1.85
Bricklayers (8 hrs.)	2.81¼
Bricklayers Hodcarriers (8 hrs.)	1.75
Carpet & Linoleum Layers (8 hrs.)	2.25
Cement Finishers (8 hrs.)	2.50
Electrical Workers (8 hrs.)	2.25
Engineers: (8 hrs.)	
Blade Grader Operator (finish work)	2.25
Concrete Mixer (up to one yard)	1.75
Concrete Mixer (over one yard)	2.05
Glaziers — Building Construction (8 hrs.)	1.87½
Ironworkers: (8 hrs.)	
Welders	2.25
Structural	2.25
Housesmiths, Arch. Iron	2.00
Laborers: (8 hrs.)	
Building Laborers	1.52½
Concrete Workers (wet and dry)	1.52½
Sewer	1.52½
Lathers (6 hrs.)	3.00
Lumber Handlers & Helpers (8 hrs.)	1.37½
Painters (7 hrs.)	2.15
Plasterers (6 hrs.)	2.50
Plasterers Hodcarriers (6 hrs.)	2.25
Plumbers (8 hrs.)	2.25
Refrigeration Servicemen (8 hrs.)	2.25
Roofers (8 hrs.)	2.00
Sheet Metal Workers (8 hrs.)	2.00
Steamfitters (8 hrs.)	2.25
Tile Setters (8 hrs.)	2.37½
Tile Setters Helpers (8 hrs.)	1.78¾
	Prevailing Per Diem Wage Rate
Teamsters:	
10,500 Lbs. or less	$12.00
10,500 Lbs. or more	13.00
Heavy Duty	14.00

OVERTIME, SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS, AND HOLIDAYS rates double time, except where otherwise provided by the Union Scale.

The working day shall be 8 hours unless otherwise specified above. The per diem rate shall be the hourly rate multiplied by the number of hours in the working day. When less than the number of hours constituting the working day as herein-stated, is worked, the wage to be paid shall be the hourly wage multiplied by the number of hours actually worked.

Where a Per Diem wage rate only is specified above, the hourly wage rate is the Per Diem rate divided by the number of hours constituting the working day.

All skilled labor not listed above that may be employed is to be paid not less than the union scale for such labor and in no event to be paid less than One and 75/100 Dollars ($1.75) per hour.

It shall be mandatory upon the contractor to whom the contract is awarded, and upon any sub-contractor under him, to pay not less than the said specified rates to all laborers, workmen and mechanics employed by them in the execution of the contract.

Properly indentured apprentices may be employed upon this work in accordance with the state law. Such apprentices shall be properly indentured as called for by law and shall be paid not less than the standard wage paid to apprentices under the regulations of the trade at which they are employed. An apprentice shall be employed only at the work of the trade to which he is indentured. The initial wage to be paid an apprentice shall be not less than twenty five per cent (25%) of the journeyman's wage being paid and shall be increased each six (6) months in an amount not less than fifteen per cent (15%).

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or Alternate A, of such bids.

By order of the Board of Trustees, November 24, 1948.

E. M. GRIMMER
Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Irvington School District of Alameda County, State of California.

N26,D3

STUDENTS AT Warm Springs Grammar School will decide between Bob Brazil (right), Jo Wagner, and Frank Galvan, candidates for student body president, in school elections on campus this afternoon.

WARM SPRINGS STUDENTS TO ELECT SLATE OF STUDENT BODY HEADS

Pupils at Warm Springs Grammar School will go to the polls this afternoon to elect a full slate of officers, as student body school government is revived for the first time since the war.

The youngsters, 98 strong, will select a school president, vice-president, sergeant-at-arms, secretary, and reporter. A field of 20 candidates has been campaigning for over two weeks in preparation for balloting.

'ELECTORAL COLLEGE'

Votes will be tabulated by an "electoral college" system, Miss Moseley announced, with sixth, seventh and eighth graders being allowed an electoral vote each, while third, fourth and fifth graders will cast 10 electoral votes, based on a proportional division of the popular count. First and second grade students will cast five electoral votes.

A tight three-cornered race for student president exists, with Josephine Wagner, Robert Brazil and Frank Galvan battling it out, while eight candidates are in the field for vice-president. They are Clyde Marks, Lorraine Coelho, Johnny Yeakey, Lucille Wagner, Ronald Schlosser, Oscar Pickering, Larry Shippee, and Gay Louella Richards.

For the sergeant-at-arms post Richard Vargas faces Marie Giles.

In the race for secretary are Frank Galvan, Marie Giles, Josephine Wagner, Lorraine Coelho, Jimmy Coelho, and Lucille Wagner.

FLOOR NOMINATIONS

Candidates were nominated from the floor at a school assembly held recently.

Lone contestant in the election who faces no opposition is Donald Aguiar, who was nominated student reporter by acclamation.

After election of officers a student council will be formed, and work on drafting a student constitution and by-laws will be begun, Miss Moseley revealed.

HI CHATTER

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shirt that matches Shirley's dress. On your way to fourth period you see the same smiling faces and, of course, there's "Pop" outside of Room 2 with a cheery greeting for everyone. At the end of fourth period, at 12:06, you find yourself grieving that you weren't on the lower floor which is dismissed at twelve. But it never fails to happen: the week you get out at twelve there is a four-day holiday. Is that bad?

After a mad scramble to get your lunch you are intent on eating it and, sitting there minding your own business, you suddenly find yourself the target of a bombardment of straw papers. You have finished your lunch and are getting ready to take your tray over when you discover that instead of the remains of your own carefully chosen lunch, it now holds about ten milk bottles, a pile of napkins and a tasteful assortment of dirty dishes of all sizes. So, with some help, preferably from several members of the squad, you get it back where it belongs. Now you're free to spend the rest of the noon hour meeting friends, avoiding enemies and perhaps answering a question of a roving "Hatchet" reporter.

Continuing the daily grind you go to your fifth period English class. On this particular day one of our foremost athletes comes up with a constructively brilliant idea. Told to write an essay on "The Most Beautiful Thing in the World," our hero scrawls a few words and sinks back into his usual relaxed position. Curiously, the teacher reads over his shoulder, "My girl! Too beautiful for words." Strangely enough, teacher does not see eye to eye with him on this idea but it takes the sting out of English for the rest of us.

Then on to the mildly relaxing atmosphere of the Science Room. That explosion you hear as you enter is not the usual chemical variety but someone's taut nerves snapping after an hour of dodging rolling marbles, exposure to popping bags and fumes from the gas jets and a fascinating variety of smells left over from previous experiments. Then, automatically, comes to mind the famous poem that goes:

Will came to the lab,
Thinking he knew plenty.
He took the bottle,
Ignored the tab.
Funeral Friday—2:20.

SCHOOLS TO ASK FOR MORE NURSES

A formal request to County Superintendent of Schools Vaughn D. Seidel seeking more nursing service for county schools is being framed today by a committee of the County Principals' Association.

The committee, Paul Ehret of San Lorenzo Village, A. B. Morse of Castro Valley, and Gus Robertson of Irvington, will meet with Dr. James Malcolm, county health officer, December 17, to discuss nursing problems before filing the document with Seidel.

The principals' association is seeking a solution to an alleged shortage of nursing service for outlying schools.

TREE PRUNING DEMONSTRATION TO BE HELD TODAY

Pruning of the home orchard trees will be demonstrated at the home of Joe Pastrone, east end of Morrison avenue off Route 9, today (Friday), starting at 1:30 p.m., weather permitting, announced Lee Benson, farm advisor, this week.

All interested home fruit growers are invited to attend the demonstration, which will emphasize the pruning of several young fruit trees.

Benson said that training and starting fruit trees correctly to secure a crop as soon as possible is the aim of the Agricultural Extension Service. Correct pruning is one phase which is necessary at this time of the year.

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Cheese	Dutch Mill or Kraft American—½-lb. Pkg.	29¢
Mince Meat	None Such—9-oz. Package	17¢
Hershey Cocoa	Breakfast—½-lb. Can	21¢
Canterbury Tea	O P & P Black—½-lb. Package	49¢

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Vienna Sausage 4-oz. Can 2 for 35¢ | Corned Beef Hash —16-oz. Can 33¢

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Ry-Krisp Wafers	9-oz. Package	22¢
Flour	Aunt Jemima Ready Mix Pancake—40-oz. Package	33¢
Marmalade	S & W Orange—2-lb. Glass	37¢
Chocolate	Ghirardelli Ground—1-lb. Can	43¢
Powdered Sugar	1-lb. Package	11¢
Preserves	Empress Cherry—21-oz. Glass	39¢

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Quaker Oats	Quick or Regular—3-lb. Package	35¢
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Orange Juice	Treesweet—No. 2 Can 2 for	25c
Juice	Town House, Grapefruit, Sweetened —46-oz. Can	19c
Juice	Town House—Grapefruit, Unsweetened —46-oz. Can	19c
Plums	Monica, Whole, Unpeeled—No. 2½ Can	19c
Apple Sauce	Lakemead—No. 2 Can	16c
Prune Juice	Sunsweet—32-oz. Glass	23c

THIS 'N' THAT

Apple Butter	Dude Ranch—29 oz. Gl.	23c
Prunes	Sunsweet, Medium—2-lb. Pkg.	32c
Cereal	Sperry Wheat Hearts—28 oz. Pkg.	27c
Honey	Beeville—2-lb. Glass	49c
Oats	H. O., Quick—2 lb. Package	32c
Shredded Ralston	12-oz. Package	17c
Malto Meal	24-oz. Package	29c
Instant Coffee	Bordens—2-oz. Glass	42c

Variety Pack Kelloggs—11-oz. Package 31¢
Flapjack Flour Albers—40-oz. Package 33¢

SLEEPY HOLLOW Real old Maple flavor SYRUP
12-oz. Glass 23¢ 24-oz. Glass 45¢

SUZANNA Pancake and Waffle FLOUR
40-oz. Pkg. 29¢ 3½-lb. Bag 42¢

NOB HILL Whole Bean Fresh COFFEE
1-lb. Bag 43¢ 2-lb. Bag 85¢

EMPRESS PRESERVES
A Canadian favorite for years
. . . now available to you!

Raspberry	10-oz. Glass	29¢
Boysenberry	10-oz. Glass	23¢
Boysenberry	21-oz. Glass	39¢
Apricot	21-oz. Glass	29¢

THIS WEEK'S PRODUCE VALUES
Enjoy "fresh-from-the-fields" flavor in your meals

ORANGES	New Crop Navel—5-lb. Mesh Bag	Small Size Each	43¢	Med. Size Each 53¢
Potatoes	Russet, U. S. No. 1, Size A	10 Lbs.	45¢	
Rome Apples	Fancy, North West	2 Lbs.	23¢	
Fancy Carrots	Quality, Tops Off—Lb.		5½¢	
Rutabagas	U. S. No. 1 Oregon—Lb.		5¢	

CHECK THESE SAFEWAY PRICES

SUGAR, CANE or BEET	10-lb. Bag	79¢
MARGARINE	Sunnybank or Allsweet—1-lb. Carton	35¢
AMERICAN CHEESE	Dutch Mill or Kraft 2-lb. Package	99¢
RIO RITA PEACHES	No. 2½ Can	19¢
CRISCO SHORTENING	1-lb. Can	39¢
TAMALES	Riviera California (Meatless)—7-oz. Can	6 for 29¢
FLOUR	Harvest Blossom—10-lb. Bag 77¢	25-lb. Bag $1.79
ASPARAGUS	Hillsdale All Green Cuts (Tips Removed) No. 2 Can	2 for 29¢
MAYONNAISE	Piedmont—Pt. Glass	39¢

ADVERTISED PRICES EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 2-3-4
AT OUR CENTERVILLE STORE
ALL ITEMS SUBJECT TO STOCK ON HAND—RIGHT TO LIMIT RESERVED

Cigarettes	Camels and other popular brands—Ctn.	$1.59
Rinso Soap	Granulated—23-oz. Package	33¢
Vel Suds Powder	15-oz. Package	29¢
Lux Toilet Soap	Regular Bar	3 for 27¢
Swan Soap	Medium Bar	2 for 19¢
Ivory Soap	Large Bar	2 for 33¢
Woodbury Soap	Facial—Bar	3 for 29¢
Super Suds	23-oz. Package	33¢
Duz Granulated	Soap—20½-oz. Package	33¢

BUY SAFEWAY MEATS . . . SAVE

Beef Pot Roasts	Choice Shoulder Blade Cuts—Lb.	59¢
Tendered Smoked Picnics	First Quality, Eastern, Small Baking Size—Lb.	49¢
Beef Plate Ribs	For Boiling. Tasty, Economical—Lb.	35¢
Lean Pork Roasts	Meaty Shoulder Butt Cuts—Lb.	60¢
Lamb Shoulders	Tender Meaty Cuts—Lb.	63¢
Pork Shoulder Picnics	Tasty Sweet Pickled for Baking—Lb.	47¢

FISH VALUES
Waste Free—Selected Cuts

FILLET OF SOLE	or Atlantic Haddock Fillets—Lb.	47¢
HALIBUT STEAKS	Choice Cuts—Lb.	55¢
FRESH OYSTERS	Pint Jars—Each	69¢
SEA SCALLOPS	Fancy 10-oz. Package—Each	67¢

FIRST QUALITY POULTRY
Ready to Cook
Selected and fed to produce tender sweet meat. Individually packaged, quick frosted to assure it's natural goodness.
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Get your copy of the big Christmas issue of Family Circle today . . . Packed with suggestions and recipes to make your Holiday Season really cheery . . . only 5c a copy!

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HOMES

G. I. appraised 2 bedroom home. Best location in Niles. Garage. Lot 75x103. $2200 down.

2 bedroom homes, $4,000, $5,500, $6,750, $9,900, $12,700.

3 bedroom homes, $8,750, $12,000, $14,000.

RANCHES

4 Acres, 400 ft. highway frontage. Small home. Well. Chicken equip. $13,500. Close to Niles.

11½ Acres, home, garage, barn, shed, almond trees, two wells. Excellent water. Vegetable land. $15,000. Terms.

LOTS

75x150, Ellsworth Tract, $1300.

75x182—Adobe Acres, $1100. Terms

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750 FIRST STREET, NILES
Phone Niles 4618
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NOW READY. Three bedroom home, 786 Magnolia St., Newark. Open for inspection. Claude T. Lindsay, Inc. Office on Lindsay Tract, Newark. 49c2

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If so, Claude T. Lindsay, Inc., will build one of their "LIFETIME HOMES" for you.
For information, see C. W. Lindsay, Tract Manager. Office on Olive near Dairy Ave. Phone Newark 5531.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY

CAFE located in Niles. Fully equipped, doing a good business. Stock, fixtures and equipment included, 3 years at low rent. Full price $4950. Seller may take reasonable offer. Exclusive Agent, Stanger Bros., 110 J St. Phone Niles 7312. 49c

FOR RENT

2-ROOM APARTMENT in Sunol, $25 per month; also house trailer, furnished, sleeps four, $22.50 per month. Phone Sunol 2354. 49p

FURNISHED ONE-ROOM CABIN for couple only. See Mrs. Williams at Williams Apartments on Niles-Hayward Highway, Niles. 49c

ROOM in private home. For gentleman permanently employed. Phone Centerville 8-8479. 49c2

THREE-ROOM NEW APT., electric range and laundry with washer; all utilities furnished. $60.00. Call Santa Clara 1613-J. 49c

FLOOR and AUTO SANDERS, polishers and waxers. Duffy Bros., 760 First Street, Niles. Phone Niles 4621. 39tfc

WANT TO RENT

NILES VICINITY, 3 bedrooms, furnished or unfurnished. Permanent. References. No phone. Mail card to Ralph Taylor, RFD Box 476-A, Niles. 48p2

WANTED

SEWING MACHINES bought, sold, rented, converted, repaired. Duffey Bros., 760 First St., Niles. Phone 4586. 44tfc

SERVICES

CESSPOOL-SEPTIC TANK cleaning. Call Parnell, Warm Springs 232. 47p4

FLOYD'S FURNITURE MOVING VAN—Phone Pleasanton 4454. Floyd's Bargain Trading Center, 10 Neal Street, Pleasanton. 41tfc

NOW EXCAVATING first class top soil, fine for garden and lawn; also red rock, creek gravel, paving, grading and excavating. Check our prices. Substantial savings. Phone Niles 3184. 409 E. First Street. W. E. McElvain, Licensed Contractor. 39tfc

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REFRIGERATION PROBLEMS?
Large or small. Commercial or Domestic . . . Call
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REFRIGERATION—Domestic and commercial. 24-hour service. Phone Centerville 169-W or Sunol 2411. 50ctf

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CONTINUING THE SERVICE OF MANUEL PEMENTEL. Dead or live animals removed promptly. Best prices paid. CROWN BY-PRODUCTS CO., SAN JOSE. Phone Collect — Ballard 804 or 917. If no answer—Santa Clara 902-M. 14tfc

Use Register Want Ads!

FOR SALE

Real Used Car Values
PRICED TO SELL

1947 FORD Coupe, 13,000 miles, like new, $1745.
1939 FORD Sedan. New motor. $845.
1940 FORD Tudor. $895.
1940 OLDSMOBILE 6 coupe. $745.
1941 FORD Club Coupe. New paint, radio and heater, $1095.
1938 FORD Sedan. $635.
1937 CHEV. Sedan. New paint. Motor overhauled. $595.
1932 FORD Cpe. $285.

JOE ADAMS
Your Ford Dealer for Washington Township
Phone Centerville 8-8754

COMBINATION wood and gas stove; also 50-lb. ice box. Victrola with records, bargain. 312 Third St., upstairs, Niles. 49p

KITCHEN TABLE with 2 benches, red leather, a dandy, $18. Phone Irvington 78-J evenings. 47tfc

DRESSED RABBITS AND FRYERS on order. Caldon Chicken Ranch, 521 Nursery Road, Niles. Phone 3675 or 3672. 38tfc

REMOVABLE SLOT Venetian Blinds and window shades made to order. Linoleum of all kinds (installed if desired). Mattresses renovated. Free estimates on all work. I give S&H Green Stamps. O'Mara Home Furnishings, Newark. Phone Newark 5621. 48tfc

COLD SPOT REFRIGERATOR, 9 cu. ft., in perfect condition. Also Wedgewood stove, old model; Rotarex washing machine; 5-ft. bath tub; kitchen cabinets and sink. Phone Centerville 8-8602. 43tfc

READY-MIXED CONCRETE. Immediate delivery. E. D. Meeker, phone Niles 4616 or 3831. 47tfc

GARDEN TRACTOR in excellent condition. 1½ horsepower, with bull-dozer, plow, and tiller attachments. $150. One-wheel trailer, $30. KEllog 3-4609 evenings or week-ends. 49c

GAS FOUR BURNER STOVE with automatic pilot light. $100 cash. Call Newark Pavilion, Newark 3481. 49c

1940 PLYMOUTH Club Coupe Conv. Perfect condition throughout. Phone Niles 3882. 49p

DIVAN, matching chair, 2 years old. Good condition. Call 503 High St., Irvington. 49p

CHRISTMAS CARD BARGAIN. 21 beautiful cards for only a dollar. Fine quality, interesting assortment. Sold by Niles Girl Scout Troop 2. Phone Niles 4597 and we will display them at your home. 49p

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MAYTAG WASHER, perfect shape, $49.50. Late model, guaranteed. Easy terms. Walter Connolly, Appliances, Furnishings. Irvington, across from school. 49c

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FLOOR FURNACES, all sizes. Panel Ray Wall Furnaces. Let us install and save money. Easy terms. Walter Connolly, appliances and furnishings. Irvington, across from school. 49c

Register ads are read in 1630 township families.

FOR SALE

WEDGEWOOD GAS RANGE, inc. trash burner, good condition. Poultry items—3 brooders, 1 incubator and feed hoppers, all in very good condition. Inquire at either R.F.D. Box 219, Driscoll Road, Niles, or Irv. 122-J. 49p2

ELECTRIC WATER HEATER, in good condition, $40. Also oil heater with fuel tank, $15. Phone Irvington 24-W, after 7 p.m. 49p2

LAWSON SOFA, $25; two baby cribs and mattresses, $10 each; baby Thayer stroller, $12.50; one wardrobe chest, $10. Phone Niles 4590. 49c

1933 CHEVROLET 4-door Sedan. New tires, body and motor in excellent condition. 2489 Dairy Ave., Newark. 49c

OLDSMOBILE, '47 model 78. Hydramatic, radio, heater, fog lights, low mileage. $2275. See Mrs. Joseph Shinn Sr. or Joseph Shinn. Phone Niles 3914. 49c

LIONEL ELECTRIC TRAIN, complete with transformer, control panels, switches, bridge, tunnel, etc. Bargain. Phone Centerville 8-8696. 49c

INSURANCE

DO YOU NEED automobile, fire, or other lines of insurance? Call Chas. Wauhab, Centerville 84-W

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dearly beloved husband who passed away November 29, 1947:
Not dead to those who loved him;
Not lost but gone before.
He lives with us in memory
And will forevermore.
Sadly missed by his loving wife, Gertrude, and children.
The Collier Family

CARD OF THANKS

Odie Pickens Yarbrough

We wish to express our sincere gratitude for the many kind expressions of sympathy and floral offerings extended at the time of our recent bereavement.
Lillie Butterfield
Ernest Yarbrough
Mrs. Bessie Zemer

J. C. ARGUMENTS

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even thousands of youths their public junior college opportunities which are provided elsewhere in California. It cannot afford to continue a policy which discriminates against youngsters who come from less well-to-do homes.

A county-wide tax base of over 600 million dollars will make the district one of the most adequately financed school districts in California and will equalize taxation throughout the county for junior college purposes.

The County Junior College System will bring hundreds of thousands of new state aid money into the county and will keep in the county thousands of dollars of tuition tax money and personal funds now being expended in other counties for junior college purposes.

The financing of the County Junior College district will in no way take money away from existing elementary and high school districts, since state and local funds for elementary and high school districts would be entirely separate from those of the junior college district, which could not legally use elementary or high school funds.

There need be no fear that the district will be controlled and operated only in the interest of the urban areas.

The whole history of educational administration in California proves that Boards of Education meet the needs of all pupils in their districts on a fair basis regardless of where the pupils may reside.

The county-wide Junior College District will provide an adequate unit of administration for junior college purposes, will prevent the formation of numerous inefficient and poorly financed units, and will not leave any islands of territory not included in a district.

(To be Continued Next Week)

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Frank Buck's Original
BRING 'EM BACK ALIVE
—and—
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OUTLAW BRAND
SERIAL

SUNDAY & MONDAY
Betty Grable - D. Fairbanks Jr.
THAT LADY IN ERMINE
In Technicolor
—and—
Paul Langton - Jean Rogers
FIGHTING BACK
CARTOON - NEWS

TUES., WED. & THURS.
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MR. BLANDINGS
Builds His Dream House
—and—
Wm. Gargan - Mary Beth Hughes
Waterfront at Midnight
NEWS

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For Information
PHONE IRVINGTON 44-W

THURS. - FRI. - SAT.
Richard Denning - Wanda Ryan
CAGED FURY
—also—
Jimmy Wakely
SONG OF THE DRIFTER
Family Night Saturday

SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY
Henry Fonda - Dolores Del Rio
THE FUGITIVE
—and—
Burt Lancaster - Lizabeth Scott
I WALK ALONE

FAMILY NIGHT every Saturday, $1 admits Mother & Dad and all Children under 12 years of age

Thinking Things Over . . .

By VIVIAN BATMAN

Dear "You":

This is an anonymous letter. This one, however, is not written BY an anonymous person but addressed TO one, or several, as the case may be. "You" are the ones who say "I don't care to have my name in the paper."

Oh, there aren't many of "you," I grant you that. And isn't it a good thing! I mean "you" strive so hard for that air of exclusiveness, and in a small town—well—

I have been seething inwardly about this for some time, but have never said anything about it. But the boiling point has finally been reached—as I knew it would eventually—and now I'm going to spill over and let the chips fall where they may—or should I say, "Let the shoe fit where it will."

Let me say first that a newspaper serves the public. Surely you pay for it! So do you pay for water, electricity, and gas. But you couldn't get along without these utilities, could you? Neither could you get along without a newspaper.

True, The Register provides a living for our family. But the paper, to us, has always meant more than just a means to financial gain. Through it we feel that we are performing a definite service to the public.

Would it be immodest to point out what we have done? Perhaps so, but for once I'm going to say "To heck with it," bearing in mind the old Chinese proverb to the effect that "he who doesn't tooteth his own horn will not get same tooted."

In the not-quite five years we have been here we have campaigned long and arduously for better roads, more adequate safety devices at crossings, better hospitalization facilities in this area, more street lights, etc., etc. In addition we have brought the schools to public attention, praising where praise is justified, criticizing where we felt criticism is needed. We have devoted large spaces in our paper to Boy and Girl Scouts and to school sports, feeling that proper attention to these activities is a deterrent to juvenile delinquency.

We have devoted large spaces in our paper to religious activities, not to mention the scores of organizations whose benefit affairs we have plugged, and plugged, and PLUGGED, knowing that good organizations go hand in hand with a good community life.

We are not taking credit for these things. We are simply pointing out that we think we are doing our best to carry out the functions of a newspaper.

Is it any wonder then that after our zealous efforts in behalf of the welfare of our township that I am not only irked but am honestly mad when I call someone for news and get "But I don't care to have my name in the paper."

These women don't want their names in the paper, yet they are willing to accept all the community advantages that accrue to them through the efforts of the paper!

Through the grapevine (that wonderful small-town telegraph service) I understand that at certain parties given by certain people hostesses have deplored the fact that they have been approached by me concerning news about these plush affairs. I can almost hear them being unnerved about the whole dreadful proceedings: "My dear, it's getting so you can't give a party in your own home without the whole town having to know about it. Some newspaper is always calling me up."

Whether these people realize it or not, it is a form of boasting to even bring up the subject. The implication is that you are so, so-o-o sought-after by the press. A comparable situation is the woman who complains—not too bitterly—about all the invitations she receives.

To these ultra-exclusive people I can only say, "You live in a small town. If you—or your husband—did not like living in a small town, then you wouldn't be here. If you are going to accept the advantages of small-town living, then you should also be prepared to accept its disadvantages. In a small town there is nothing so interesting to people as—you guessed it!—people!

It's always there—that pulsing, vibrating current of everyday life being led by everyday people that courses through a small town like a turbulent stream.

In a small town we have an awareness of our neighbors. They are born; they die; they go on trips; they have guests; they give parties. We want to commiserate with our neighbors in their grief, or to become jubilant with them in their joys. We are interested in them, and, contrary to what many city people think, it is not entirely a morbid, gossipy interest. More often it is a sincere expression of friendliness.

For that reason then we want to give our readers what is known in many country papers as the "locals" or "social" items, in addition to our regular news coverage.

True, there are many times in the life of any hostess when to publish a guest list in the paper would be to bring a heartache to someone who was not invited. I can well understand that. But for all those parties you CAN'T tell about, there are an equal number that you CAN tell about.

I can think of several women—married to highly respected business and professional men in the township—who entertain frequently. These women appreciate having a local newspaper in the community enough to go to considerable trouble to phone me and tell me news items. They do not—nor would I expect them to—make all of their parties public knowledge. But when they have something special in the way of entertaining, they tell us about it. We feel that it is their way of saying, "We like having a township paper. We'll help make it a good one."

And to "you," who do not want your names in the paper, let me say this: won't it be a little embarrassing if you are asked to head some kind of a drive that needs a lot of publicity, or some day feel the urge to espouse a particular cause that also needs publicity?

Tch, tch—such a shame, then, that you "never have your name in the paper."

FOOD SALE TOMORROW

The Ladies of the Presbyterian Aid Society will hold a food sale and bazaar, Saturday, Dec. 4, in the office of the Water company, Centerville. The sale will begin at 1 p.m.

MAIL PACKAGES EARLY

All out-of-state Christmas mailing should be completed by December 15 at the latest in order to insure delivery by Christmas, township postmasters announced today.

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DECEMBER
2—John Brown, abolitionist, hanged, 1859.
3—Wisconsin joins Michigan territory, 1818.
4—Edith Cavell, Red Cross nurse, born, 1865.
5—18th amendment repealed, 1933.
6—Irish Free State created, 1921.
7—Delaware admitted to Union, 1787.
8—Washington crosses Delaware river, 1776.
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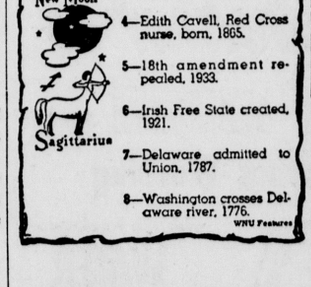

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By ERNIE FRICK

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DID I EVER TELL YA HOW I SAVED A FELLER'S LIFE AT TH' BEACH ONCE?
OH YEAH?
THERE WAS A TERRIBLE STORM—TH' WAVES WAS FIFTY FEET HIGH!
NEVER MIND TH' BUILD-UP—WHOSE LIFE DID YA SAVE?
MY OWN! I'D A DROWNDED IF I WENT IN!
SPLASH!